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CHATEAUGUAY BALLOTS ARE FOUND IRREGULAR

Returning Officer Stops Official Count and Returns to Montreal to Obtain Legal Advice; Ballots in Boxes Without Initials of Election Clerks; Hon. Sydney Fisher Announces Protest Against Return

Montreal, Oct. 15.—Some half dozen uninitiated ballots found in the ballot boxes from polls 3 and 17, the former in the parish of St. Chrysostom, and the latter in the parish of St. Sacrament caused Returning Officer J. E. C. Bumbury to postpone the official count of the Chateauguay election at St. Martine yesterday.

Mr. Bumbury returned to Montreal last night to take legal advice on the question of rejecting these ballots and announced that the count would be resumed on Tuesday next.

The election law requires that each ballot presented to a voter shall be initiated by the election clerk before the voter can make his mark. This seems to have been omitted in several cases.

"The election of Chateauguay will be protested," said Hon. Sydney Fisher after a lengthy conference of the leaders of the Liberal party and prominent Liberals of Chateauguay, held at the Windsor hotel.

"We have evidence that will be able to quash the election," said Mr. Fisher, "and I do not see how the guilty can escape."

"When the evidence at the hearing has been given," said Mr. Fisher, "the prosecution will follow as a matter of course."

Those attending the conference were Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Hon. Sydney Fisher and James Robb, M. P. for Hastings.

HON. SYDNEY FISHER



Liberal Candidate for Chateauguay, whose defeat was caused by fraud at the polls.

MILLIONAIRE'S NEPHEW IN AUTOMOBILE SMASH

One Killed Two Injured When Laurence Duke's Machine Crashes Into Another.

Seattle, Oct. 15.—Laurence Duke, aged 35, nephew of James B. Duke, the millionaire president of the American Tobacco Company, spent the night in the county jail after his racing automobile had struck and killed Henry G. Farr, a saloonkeeper, and seriously injured Alfred G. Hoglund, an expressman, and Thomas G. Simmons, a shipping clerk on a country road south of Seattle.

It is expected that a formal charge of manslaughter will be placed against Duke. The tracks of his car show that Duke applied the brakes when about 100 feet from Farr and the others, who were gathered in the road about Hoglund's automobile, engaged in replacing a tire. It is said Duke was driving at the rate of 30 miles an hour when he rounded a curve close to the place of the accident.

Hoglund's skull is believed to be fractured, and he was severely bruised about the body. Simmons' left arm is broken, several ribs fractured, and it is thought he is internally injured. The attending physician says both are in a critical condition.

Duke, who has no occupation and spends a great deal of money, was arrested at 2 a. m. on December 28 last charged with "driving an automobile while intoxicated." He has also been in other trouble with the police for reckless driving.

MARQUIS IS CHRISTENED.

London, Oct. 15.—Christening of the Marquis of Bowmont and Cessford, heir to the dukedom of Roxburgh, took place to-day in the chapel royal at St. James, with King George and Queen Mary as sponsors. In addition to the maternal grandfather, Mrs. Ogden Goelet, and his uncle, Lord Alastair Innes-Ker.

New Jersey Senator Seeks Hay-Pauncetote Treaty Repeal

Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—Senator Martine, of New Jersey, to-day urged the senate to recommend repeal of the Hay-Pauncetote treaty with Great Britain on the grounds that it interferes with too many American rights. He said he had received many protests that the tariff bill's five per cent shipping rebate was a violation of the terms of the treaty.

The senator added that he preferred a repeal of the treaty rather than a repeal of the five per cent rebate in the tariff law and predicted that the United States would have the best of the argument if foreign countries tried to make commercial reprisals because of the five per cent rebate.

"If Germany should elect to try it on us," said Senator Martine, "we would shut off her supplies of cotton, copper and potash. To Great Britain we would give the same medicine. Should South America throw down the gauntlet we could shut off their coffee and rubber for a little and ruin would stare them in the face. Japan needs our cotton, and besides we are her best market. No senator or citizen wants commercial war or any other kind of war, but other nations grant important favors to these industries."

SIXTY THOUSAND RURAL MAIL BOXES IN CANADA

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 15.—By the end of this month there will be 60,000 subscribers in Canada to the rural mail delivery system. The division at present is as follows: Prince Edward Island, 2,700; Nova Scotia, 1,550; New Brunswick, 2,000; Quebec, 2,500; Ontario, 44,335; Manitoba, 490; Saskatchewan, 385; Alberta, 700; British Columbia, 1,300; total, 56,115.

SEVENTEEN HOURS OF REPORT BY WIRELESS

Volturno Operator Kept Log of Events From Time Fire Started

QUICK RESPONSE TO SIGNALS OF DISTRESS

When Power Gave Out Emergency Set Used Until Explosion Broke Aerial

ONE JUMPED TO BOAT WHEN SERVICE ENDED

"New York, Oct. 15.—The wireless phase of the Volturno tragedy is told in the following log kept by Senior Operator S. W. Seddon, of the lost ship. It was sent to the Associated Press to-day by wireless from the Kronland: "The steamer Kronland, Oct. 15.—Oct. 9: Volturno found to be on fire 6.55 a.m., latitude 49.12 north, longitude 34.51 west. At that time my junior, Mr. Pennington, was on watch when captain gave orders to send out distress signals. It was done immediately. We then called steamers Carmania, Seydlitz, Grosser Kurfuerst, individually. Immediately we finished calling, Seydlitz answered. We gave him our position, and he replied he was coming under forced steam to our aid. "Just as the junior gave our position I reached cabin. Immediately gave out distress call as soon as finished with Seydlitz. Getting instant reply from Carmania. They gave him position. His reply was: 'Good, all speed, and 50 miles from you. Hope reach you 3 p.m. (Greenwich meridian time).'"

"But he arrived 2.10 p.m. (Greenwich meridian time). During this time we kept up incessant communication. After giving Carmania position, Grosser Kurfuerst answered. Then I again gave position. He then replied: 'Coming all speed.'"

"Great difficulty experienced in receiving owing to constant earthing of aerial through leads coming into connection with water tanks on deck, this caused by sagging of aerial owing to its supports giving way. After some time they managed to get mast propped, then leads altered right position, no more earthing took place, signals quite O. K. Further hampered by ship rolling, so great almost impossible sent at times."

"Carmania sent out call. About half an hour later I was in communication steamer Kronland, 408 miles distant. Also gave him position. He replied: 'Cheer up, old man, coming all speed your rescue.' Five p.m. steamer Seydlitz came alongside to windward. Thirty minutes later Grosser Kurfuerst arrived. At this time the Carmania, ten miles distant, cruising for our missing boats which left ship when fire broke out. On request returned immediately. All this time continuous communication with all ships around us. Received prompt reply to this time. "1.08 p.m. (Greenwich meridian time). Power gave out. Did best. Used it as long as possible. Towards end current so poor junior holding starting handle, asking out all resistance. Then commenced using emergency set which lasted twelve midnight (Greenwich meridian time), when owing to the magazine explosion blowing away aerial could work no longer. Worked set from outbreak fire, thus keeping communication 17 hours, then only left posts owing aerial going. If this not occurred accumulators would have lasted several hours longer."

"I wish to mention from start junior stood by me, deserved great credit for way rendered valuable assistance conveying messages to and from the captain, who was forward fighting the flames. When we could not do more inside the cabin, did what little possible on deck. This very little, owing passengers refusing jump for boats which could not come right alongside owing auction being great. Two a.m. (Greenwich meridian time), October 10, Junior jumped for Kronland's boat, captain's orders. Picked up unconscious. I stayed until last boat left with the captain, chief engineer, remainder crew. (Signed) W. Seddon, senior operator, S. S. Volturno."

Liverpool, Oct. 15.—No sign of the derelict hulk of the Volturno was seen by the Cymric on her voyage across the Atlantic, which arrived to-day. The ship cruised around the spot where the Volturno had been abandoned without sighting that vessel or any wreckage.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 15.—The North German Lloyd steamship Seydlitz, from Bremen for Philadelphia, and Baltimore, one of the ships that went to the assistance of the Volturno and which is bringing nearly forty of the rescued steerage passengers to this port, passed in the Delaware Capes at 9.30 o'clock. The vessel will dock about 6 p. m.

Narragansett, Oct. 15.—The oil tanker Narragansett, which "arrived with the milk in the morning" on the scene of the Volturno disaster, and by scattering tons of oil on the raging sea, greatly aided the rescue work, received a great reception on her arrival in the harbor.

New York, Oct. 15.—The Red Star liner Kronland, from Antwerp, one of the ten ships which helped in the rescue of passengers of the burned steamer Volturno, was steaming slowly toward port to-day, delayed by an accident to its shaft. It was expected that it would reach its dock by nightfall, and set ashore Captain Inch of the lost steamer and many other survivors.

DR. SUN YAT SEN IS ARRESTED IN JAPAN

Charged With Appropriating Two Millions Y. From Revolutionary Fund

STORY OF AWA MARU FLIGHT IS CONFIRMED

Empress of India Picks Up Wireless Message Sent by the Russia

BULLETIN POSTED ON BOARD OCEAN LINER

That Dr. Sun Yat Sen has been arrested in Japan is the word brought to this continent on the Empress of India, which docked here yesterday, the way in which the information came illustrating the curious channels by which news items of world interest often travel. The great Chinese revolutionary leader, according to the statement, is charged with appropriating in the neighborhood of two million taels, approximately \$300,000, presumably from the funds of the revolutionary party.

Local Chinese some time ago became suspicious when they received no receipt for the \$5,000 they forwarded to him for the furtherance of the cause as they were treated in this way once before by a mandarin at Canton to whom they sent money. Communications were carried on in the usual mysterious Chinese way, and it was discovered that other money forwarded to Dr. Sun had not been received by the heads of the party.

It is only a few days ago when passengers on the Awa Maru gave the Times exclusive information to the effect that Dr. Sun Yat Sen had travelled on the Awa Maru disguised as a Japanese and landed at Kobe. Passengers on the Empress of India confirm this, saying that for some time it was known that he was in hiding near Kobe, but that he had not disembarked actually at the city. Dr. Sun left the Awa Maru at Kobe, and had no difficulty in hiding in Japan as he has many friends there. Empress passengers who have lived in Japan for some time expressed surprise at the news as he was believed to be safe in that country.

Another fact in connection with the sensational flight from China came to light through the American consul from Formosa, who was a passenger on the boat, when that official stated that Dr. Sun did not travel directly from Hong Kong to Japan, but spent some weeks in Formosa, and boarded the Awa at that port. This circumstance fills in the big gap between the announcement of his flight from Shanghai many weeks ago, and his discovery on board the Awa Maru.

The arrest in Japan is said to have been at the instigation of the Chinese government, for those familiar with the situation state that Japan would never have taken any steps to interfere with the great Chinese revolutionist. Japan is believed to have financed the revolution, and was altogether too friendly with the doctor to have taken steps of its own accord. There is an extradition treaty between Japan and China, however, and it is stated that Dr. Sun is being held by the Japanese authorities pending the completion of arrangements for taking him back to his native land to face the grave charge laid against him.

The Empress of India received the information from the Empress of Russia outbound. The two vessels met in mid-Pacific, and the Russia had picked up the message where the smaller vessel had failed. The news was bulletin of the London news, and was read with great interest by the passengers, many of whom were personal acquaintances of Dr. Sun.

YOUTHS CAUGHT WITH MUCH STOLEN PROPERTY

Portland, Ore., Oct. 15.—George Yank, Harry Johnson and Earle Burgess, youths aged 19 and 20 years, are under arrest here and the police believe they are the gang that has recently systematically robbed hotels, fourteen of the leading hostilities of Portland having suffered from hotel thieves. When arrested the youths were in the act of pawning a bundle of clothing and every article in their possession had been previously reported to the detectives as having been stolen from some one of the hotels.

Thames at noon to-day. She had a number of survivors.

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NEXT PARLIAMENT TO MEET EARLY IN YEAR

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 15.—It is believed here that the next session of parliament will be opened in January next. The date mentioned in January 8th or 15th, with the earlier date the most likely. While the probabilities are as mentioned, and receive a certain amount of support from those who are in a position to know, there has as yet been no official announcement and the choice of dates has not officially been determined.

CELEBRATE 1813 BATTLE WITH MILITARY REVIEW

Emperor Francis Joseph Present at Gathering 100 Years After Defeat of Napoleon.

Vienna, Oct. 15.—A splendid military review was held here to-day in celebration of the centenary of the "Battle of the Nations" fought at Leipzig October 18-19, 1813, when 200,000 of the allied armies of Austrians, Prussians, Russians, Swedes and Saxons commanded by the Austrian field-marshal, Prince Carl Philipp von Schwarzenberg, defeated Napoleon with an army of about 150,000 French troops. The combined casualties of both armies were 94,000 killed and wounded; 30,000 French were taken prisoners.

The display took place on Schwarzenberg Plains, where Emperor Francis Joseph, all the Austrian Archdukes, the members of the cabinet, court and state officials and all the generals on the Austrian active army list had gathered.

The aged emperor laid a huge laurel wreath at the foot of the Schwarzenberg monument and subsequently reviewed deputations from the regiments which had participated in the historic battle.

TO SHOW RESULTS OF NEW TARIFF SCHEDULE

Increase in Internal Revenue Receipts in United States \$4,000,000 Ahead.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—The actual effect of the new tariff law on the government's revenue will presently be disclosed by detailed comparisons and computations being made for Secretary McAdoo.

The estimates of expenses for all branches of the government are almost finished. President Wilson has passed word along for same economy. Treasury officials do not interpret this to mean that any government service should be crippled.

While the customs revenues have fluctuated too much to warrant any satisfactory estimate as to what may be expected, the internal revenue receipts are running up a normal increase all along the line, so far showing \$4,000,000 ahead of the same period of the last fiscal year.

VICE-REGAL ARRIVAL TO BE QUIET AFFAIR

Ottawa, Oct. 15.—A bulletin issued from Rideau hall this morning states that the arrival of Their Royal Highnesses, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia at Quebec is to be an informal one, and there will be no official reception, no guard of honor and no artillery salute either at Quebec or Ottawa. The vice-regal party will arrive on the Empress of Britain on or about October 24.

AGENTS OF CANADIAN PACIFIC ARE ARRESTED

Vienna, Oct. 15.—Samuel Altman, agent here of the Canadian Pacific Railway, was arrested and his office searched by the police, supposedly in connection with the charge brought against the agent of the company in Lemberg, of assisting Austrians to evade military service by emigrating to Canada without passports. The employees of the C. P. R. in Galicia also have been arrested.

THREE MISSING IN FIRE OF HOTEL AT PRESCOTT

Walla Walla, Wash., Oct. 15.—Three men are reported missing and R. E. Jackson is badly injured as the result of a fire in Prescott, north of here, early to-day. The fire burned the Cottages hotel and a residence. Jackson lowered his wife from a third-story window with a rope after wrapping her in a blanket. Then he descended, but swung through a plate-glass window and his leg was nearly amputated.

DIES VERY SUDDENLY.

Welland, Ont., Oct. 15.—While waiting for a train to take her to South Wales, N. Y., where she was to testify against her son-in-law, S. B. Doyle, for the murder of his wife, Mrs. Nellie Berg, of Fort Colborne, was seized with a stroke and died a few hours after.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT AND UNITED STATES WAIT; MEANWHILE HUERTA OBTAINS LARGE LOAN FROM PARIS

Two Nations Now Are Close Observers of Republic Under Dictatorship; German Cruisers Vineta and Hertla Sent by German Government to American Waters

FELIX DIAZ SOON DUE AT HAVANA WHERE POLICE GUARD AGAINST PLOT TO MURDER HIM

London, Oct. 15.—The British government has adopted a waiting attitude in regard to the Mexican situation. It considers the matter thus far as an entirely internal affair of Mexico, and does not contemplate any action, although watching events closely.

The British foreign office has received no information from the legation in Mexico City in respect to the report of the conference of the members of the diplomatic corps there, and the fact that Germany is reported to have sent a warship to a Mexican port has not influenced British policy.

Huerta is Frightened. Mexico City, Oct. 15.—The uneasiness in government circles increased as the day advanced. It is now frankly admitted that Provisional President Huerta is badly frightened by the turn affairs have taken. He must reply at once to the American notes and do so without losing prestige with the Mexicans.

The rushing of European warships to Mexican ports has thrown his most influential lieutenants into a panic, and he is said to stand practically alone. Situation Unchanged. Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—The Mexican situation remained unchanged to-day, and administration officials agreed generally in the view that the Huerta government would make no answer to President Wilson's latest note. News of latest constitutionalist victories was received without comment. The delivery of the situation, however, was unalterable, and the attitude of the Washington government was still a waiting one, with the United States in the attitude of a close observer.

Fear Safety of Diaz. Havana, Oct. 15.—General Felix Diaz, who is now on his way from Europe to Mexico, is believed to be in danger of assassination on his arrival at Havana. The Cuban government has received information that a band of

Mexican conspirators are planning to kill General Diaz, who will reach here Friday evening or Saturday morning on the steamer Corcovado.

The secret police express hope of arresting the conspirators, and the government has issued orders that the utmost precautions be taken to insure the safety of General Diaz.

It is expected that General Diaz, who is a candidate for the presidency, will remain here owing to recent developments at Mexico City.

Huerta Obtains Loan.

Paris, Oct. 15.—Provisional President Huerta, of Mexico, has obtained a loan of \$2,000,000 in Paris, chiefly, according to circumstantial reports, through the influence of the chiefs of the Catholic party.

The Most Rev. Jose Mora, Archbishop of the State of Mexico, it is understood, came to Europe recently partly on this account. The loan was presumably on short-term bills to be repaid out of the proceeds of the unissued portion of the loan arranged last spring.

French Warship Wanted. The foreign office here to-day received a telegram from the French legation at Mexico City suggesting that a warship be sent to Mexico at once.

The government officials are considering the matter and following the usual practice of sending a warship when a French colony requests one, it is probable that one of the French vessels already in American waters will be detailed to Mexico.

The French foreign office has not been advised whether the diplomatic corps at Mexico City counseled the Mexican government to use caution in replying to the representations of the American government.

Cruisers Leave Germany.

Berlin, Oct. 15.—The German protected cruiser Vineta, in addition to the Hertla was ordered to-day to proceed to American waters owing to the disturbances in Mexico.

NEED NOT RENOUNCE RIGHT OF SUCCESSION

Berlin, Oct. 15.—The German crown prince recently sent a letter of protest to Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, against permission being given to Prince Ernest Augustus, of Cumberland, the husband of the crown prince's sister to occupy the throne of the duchy of Brunswick, without his express renunciation of his pretensions to the throne of Hanover.

This protest has proved unsuccessful. For the imperial chancellor sent to-day a long reply to the crown prince in which he justified the position taken by the Prussian government. At the same time the Prussian government formulated to-day a resolution for submission to the federal council of the German Empire, revoking its decision of 1907, against any member of the House of Cumberland occupying the dukedom of Brunswick.

LEPER SEEKS REFUGE DESPERATE BY HUNGER

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 15.—Driven to desperation by hunger and privation, a leper thought to be suffering from the last stage of the disease, applied for food and treatment at the city dispensary here last night. To shield his wife and son he assumed the name of John Kouch. He said to-day that his name was E. R. Grable and that his family lived in Ogden, Utah. He said he was pronounced a leper three years ago by physicians at Pocatello, Idaho, and was isolated but later escaped. He again was isolated at Salt Lake City. The chief vaccine officer of the board of health to-day examined Grable and said he seemed to have leprosy, but the symptoms were not very pronounced.

Private Vote Against Sulzer By Forty-Three to Fourteen

Speeches by Judges to Come Before Final Public Count is Made

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 15.—The high court of impeachment which is trying William Sulzer adjourned shortly after 1 o'clock to-day to meet again at 3 o'clock this afternoon, at which time it was announced start would be made on the final vote to determine the guilt or innocence of the governor.

It was reported that the court voted informally in its secret session this morning to remove the governor from office by a ballot of 43 to 14. A vote to disqualify him from ever holding another office under the state was lost, it was said.

Every article of impeachment was voted on separately according to the news that leaked from the courtroom, and not all of them were sustained. Those on which the governor was reported to have been held guilty were articles 1, 2, 4 and 5 of the impeachment charges. The three first are "money articles" having to do with the alleged falsification of the governor's campaign statement, and the misuse of campaign contributions. Article 4 relates to the suppression of evidence by the governor before the Frawley committee including the testimony of Duncan W. Peck, superintendent of public works. When a verdict will be reached in



WILLIAM SULZER

the impeachment trial now depends entirely on the length of the speeches of the judges in explaining their votes. Even after the final voting begins there are likely to be long delays. Many members of the court, besides the judges are attorneys, and most of these desire to give lengthy explanations before their voting. The discussion may end to-night and may not be completed before Friday. The trial has been in progress a month to-day.



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THREE BYE-ELECTIONS FOR THE COMMONS

Contests in Ontario to Be Held Before Next Parliament is Opened

Ottawa, Oct. 15.—Three bye-elections will be held in Ontario for the House of Commons before the opening of Parliament—East Middlesex, next Tuesday; South Bruce, October 30, and South Lanark, for which the date has not been fixed.

Of these the interest is centred in South Bruce, where both parties are putting up a furious fight. The South Bruce vacancy was caused by the elevation of James Donnelly, member from 1908, to the Senate.

R. E. Truax, once member of the House of Commons and afterwards in the Ontario legislature, is the Liberal nominee, and W. D. Cargill, son of the late Mr. Henry Cargill, for years member for East Bruce, is the Conservative candidate. This riding, as it now stands, was formed in 1904, when P. H. McKenzie, Liberal, defeated James Donnelly by 144. In 1908 Mr. Donnelly won by 133 and in 1911 by 184. The contest in this riding is particularly interesting as there is a large German vote and the result is thought to indicate the attitude of the German-Canadians on the navy question.

East Middlesex is creating little interest. The district of East Middlesex, as now constituted, was formed in 1904 and in the three contests since then Peter Elson, Conservative, carried the riding by 219 in 1904, 249 in 1908 and 261 in 1911. The candidates at this election are R. G. Fisher, Liberal, and Frank Glass, Conservative.

In South Lanark Dr. Hanna was nominated Conservative candidate at a convention held at Perth. James Smith is in the field as an independent Conservative.

FORMER AMBASSADOR SEES INTERVENTION

Henry L. Wilson Tells of Free Elections in Mexico and Discusses Situation

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 15.—"The developments of the day look like intervention," declared Henry Lane Wilson, former United States ambassador to Mexico, who arrived in Spokane yesterday for a brief visit in his home town.

"There cannot possibly be any question of withdrawing of recognition of the present Mexican administration by any government. Recognition of a government cannot be withdrawn according to well-established principles and precedents, once recognition has been accorded. All governments credited in Mexico have recognized the present administration and are in full sympathy with it.

"The election on October 28 will be just as free as any other Mexican election ever held, but it might be well to understand that no free election has ever been held in Mexico. Madero received 19,287 votes out of a population of fifteen million. This could hardly be called a free and definite expression of national will. The Associated Press carried a dispatch to the effect that the Spanish minister has called a meeting of the diplomatic corps. On account of my retiring the Spanish minister automatically becomes dean of the diplomatic corps. It is customary for the dean of the diplomatic corps to call a meeting of the corps which two or three make a request for such a meeting and no special significance should be attached to the call at this time.

"Nor should any significance be attached to the presence of a German battleship in Mexican waters at this time.

"The German government yearly sends a battleship to Mexican waters, as do the British and French governments. They are simply calls and absolutely no significance attaches to their visit at this time."

NATURALIZATION NOW FARCE SAYS STEVENS

Exchange of Papers Among Japanese to Secure Fishing and Other Rights.

Vancouver, Oct. 15.—"The administration of the naturalization laws in British Columbia has become a farce," said H. H. Stevens, M. P., at a gathering of the Sons of England last night, at the Commercial hall. The local representative added that the heads of the local consulates and the Japanese of the district were conniving at a system of perjury and deceit which was going on year after year. He said that the consulates were possessed of dozens of naturalization papers made out in due form, and these were used for one year by one Japanese, and then turned in to the consular and used by a totally different Japanese the year following. In this way, said Mr. Stevens, Japanese were, while aliens, securing fishing licences and coal and other mining rights as well.

EXPORT DUTY ON GOLD MIGHT PROTECT SUPPLY

New York, Oct. 15.—A novel plan for protecting the country's gold supply suggested by John E. Gardin, vice-president of the National City Bank of New York. In an address on "Foreign Exchange Problems," before the second national conference on currency reform held under the auspices of the New York Academy of Political Science, Mr. Gardin said the president should be empowered to proclaim an export duty on gold when necessary to safeguard the supply.

"The most serious problem confronting us to-day in our international relations, particularly in view of the pending changes in our banking system," said Mr. Gardin, "is the protection of our gold supply. The United States is the only absolutely free market for gold in the world and we have to suffer for our liberality."

TRINIDAD STRIKERS INTIMIDATE MINERS

Trinidad, Colo., Oct. 15.—Twenty miners, the working force of the McLaughlin mine of the Santa Fe Coal Company three miles south of here, were prevented from going to work to-day by thirty-five strikers, some of them armed, who met them at the entrance of the property and succeeded in getting them by jeers and threats to turn back.

Deputies from the sheriff's office reached the scene before the strikers had dispersed, twenty-two were arrested and are now held in the county jail charged with picketing and carrying concealed weapons. One shot was fired.

PRIVATE SALE SOON OF PRINCE GEORGE LOTS

Winnipeg, Oct. 15.—At the auction sale held in Vancouver on September 17 of lots in the Grand Trunk Pacific townsite of Prince George, 1,110 lots yielded, approximately, \$1,351,570. On September 24 a second auction sale took place at Edmonton, Alberta, at which 691 lots were sold for the total of \$451,855.

It is expected that within a few weeks a private sale will be held at Prince George at which an additional 500 lots will be disposed of. Approximately 2,000 lots scattered throughout the townsite are held in reserve to be sold later.

Phoenix Beer, 25¢ per doz. etc.

DENUNCIATE TRIAL ON RITUAL MURDER

Resolution Passed at Protestant Episcopal New York Convention

New York, Oct. 15.—The ritual murder trial at Kiev, Russia, was condemned in a resolution adopted yesterday by the House of Deputies, the joint clerical and lay body of the Protestant Episcopal Church at the triennial general convention.

The Episcopalians also took steps to amend their prayer book by eliminating the passage in the Good Friday collect where Jews are classed with "infidels, Turks and heretics."

In presenting the resolution regarding the Kiev trial the Rev. Dr. William Manning, rector of Trinity Church, said: "Jews of this city are deeply moved by this matter. Jewish brethren have asked me to bring before this convention a protest voicing the sentiments contained in a petition signed in England by the Archbishop of Canterbury and by many bishops, clergy and laymen of the church. The resolution said:

"We call upon archbishops, bishops and other members of the Holy Orthodox Church of Russia to make formal pronouncement that the so-called 'ritual murders' are without foundation or justification in the teachings and practice of the religion of Israel. We remind them that in the early days of Christianity some suggestions were made through ignorance and superstition against our most holy religion."

More Witnesses.

Kiev, Russia, Oct. 15.—The examination of witnesses was continued to-day in the trial of Mendel Beilis, accused of having committed a "ritual murder." Detective Politchuk, who was prominent in the early investigation into the murder of the boy, Andrew Yushinsky, in testifying this afternoon, charged Kravinsky, the former head of the Kiev detective service, with poisoning Eugene Tebeberiak and his little sister Valentina, who, it was alleged, had seen Beilis dragging off Yushinsky.

The prosecution concentrated their effort on an endeavor to prove that the Jews practiced ritual murder on Christians by the testimony of the Archimandrite Autenemus. He is a Jewish descendant but was baptized when ten years old. He resides in the Kiev monastery, but formerly was attached to the monastery at Saratov.

The archimandrite carried two documents relating to ritual murders in the eighteenth century and asked that they be incorporated in the records of the trial. This request was refused. Replying to a question, Autenemus declared that he knew of cases where Christian children had been tortured by Jews. He said: "From my childhood my masters and teachers warned me not to have relations with Jews because they tortured Christian children."

"Once," he said, "a boy came to me and received baptism. Some time afterward Jews bribed a monk, who helped them remove the boy. Two years later the boy was found killed."

Another case was that of a Jewish boy who also had been baptized by the archimandrite and lived with him at the monastery. "The Jews waylaid him and beat him, then took him away and killed him up for the whole winter. The boy finally escaped and returned to the monastery," he said.

In response to the question: "What is the attitude of Jews in general towards us?" he replied: "If the bowels of the earth would open one would discover many bones of persons tortured to death by Jews."

Questioned still further, he said that when a Jew he had never heard that the Jews used Christian blood for ritual purposes. Several workmen and officials employed in the Zaitsev works declared that Beilis was working as usual on the day of the disappearance of Yushinsky.

The mother of the murdered boy's play-fellow testified that the woman Maltzky, who occupied a room above that of the Tebeberiak, had denounced her because of an old quarrel. The witness also said a journalist, Brazil Bruskovsky, declared her husband would lose his position in the post office unless he assisted in discovering the murderers. Madame Tebeberiak swore that she was offered \$25,000 to take the guilt on her own shoulders, those making the offer saying it was necessary to refute the charges against Beilis.

AMERICAN ENGINEER DISMISSED IN CHINA

Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—Engineer Beckwith, the American in charge of the Ichang section of the Hankow-Szechuen Railroad, has been dismissed by the Chinese government on account of differences of opinion with his staff, both Chinese and American.

This information was received to-day in a message to the Chinese legation, which did not state the nature of the differences which led to Mr. Beckwith's dismissal. According to the message, however, neither the American legation in Peking nor the banking interests protested against his enforced retirement.

COL. HUGHES ENTERTAINED.

London, Oct. 15.—Colonel Sam Hughes was entertained last night at the Junior Carlton Club. The company included Earl Grey, Lord Brook, Max Aitken and A. H. D. R. Steel-Maitland, M. P.

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TRADE STRUGGLE NOW FOLLOWS BALKAN WAR

Austria Hungary Awake to Commercial Opportunities In Various Countries

Vienna, Austria, Oct. 15.—The end of the war has proved the signal for the beginning of a fierce commercial struggle in the Balkans. Austria-Hungary has awakened to the fact that Germany has grasped six months ago. To-day she realizes the splendid opportunities opening up in the Balkans. She has also been faced by the very unpleasant sight of the German traveler already established with a firm footing in the regions which she regarded as her own.

The German army has not been mobilized, the confusion which has prevailed in every branch of trade and commerce in Austria-Hungary as the result of the absence of a large percentage of men with the colors during the past year has effectively prevented anything beyond the most necessary work being done. Even were this not so, the Austrian is proverbially lacking in that spirit of enterprise which is so marked among the Germans.

The heads of the various industries now blame the leaders of Austro-Hungarian foreign policy. They say that an up-to-date policy would have concerned itself with the acquiring of fresh markets and of new outlets for Austrian goods. Instead of this Austria-Hungary has made enemies all round. Further, the industrial party is right in its conception that territory is only won commercially nowadays. Conquest of new land is an antiquated method, and will be little employed by the great powers, although necessary in the case of an ancient regime, such as the Turkish administration, where nothing in the way of improvement was permitted.

It is clear on looking back over the last 12 months that Austria-Hungary has pursued a very old-fashioned policy indeed, not much more advanced than that of Turkey itself. But it is easy to lay the blame on the men at the helm. They are, however, rather the victims of a system than of individual lack of judgment, for when they came into power they inherited a discredited Balkan.

Also the Agrarian party has been responsible for irritating Serbia almost beyond endurance. It has always prevented the import of meat. The Austrians have always supported the Agrarians in this policy and this has rendered the Serbians desperate. When they clearly saw that there was no hope of doing trade with Austria-Hungary they turned their land into an agricultural instead of a pastoral country, and the immediate result is a shortage of meat in Austria-Hungary itself. That shortage is likely to increase in the near future.

The Serbians are pushing forward negotiations with Montenegro to the end that they may use the harbor of Antivari as an outlet for their trade and there is little doubt that they will come to some kind of an arrangement with Montenegro. It is not believed that they will be able to lease the harbor, but that some kind of commercial agreement will be made.

This will mean an outlet for their trade to Italy, who is always short of meat. Austria-Hungary thus have to seek her meat elsewhere. The meat question is one of the causes of social unrest in Austria, and it is likely that the trouble that commenced with the return of reservists, many of whom have come home to find that their jobs have been taken by others, in their absence, or arrangements made to render their services superfluous, is likely to increase when the annual shortage of meat makes itself felt. Meanwhile Italy is very busy on the shores of the Adriatic. She is watching for possible markets for her goods. It is probable that she will go great lengths to guard her political interests in Albania and her commercial interests in Greece. The keenness of competition in this quarter of the world between members of the triple alliance may lead to its undoing.

The Austrian industrialists, while blaming the foreign minister, know that their goods will not stand comparison with the German article, in point of price. They are responsible for the conditions which have made it so, a desire to retain more of a fair share of profits, and to get rich quickly have brought both industrialists and agrarians to an impasse, and they should be ready to shoulder a part of the blame themselves.

SEEK FOR THIEVES ON NORTHBOUND STEAMERS

Seattle, Oct. 15.—Federal authorities, the local police department and private detectives are in quest of what they believe to be an organized band of thieves that has been operating on steamships plying between Seattle and Alaska ports.

When the steamship Mariposa, of the Alaska S. S. Company, docked here yesterday afternoon Marché Adolpho, an Italian miner, reported the loss of approximately \$2,000 in nuggets, cash and cheques. The sum represented Adolpho's clean-up for the season in the north.

The robbery occurred between Juneau and Ketchikan.

LOOK FOR GOLD ON BEACH AFTER STORM

Seattle, Oct. 15.—Miners who have worked the beach sands of Nome for their gold think it likely that the storm that half-destroyed the northern city drove ashore gold-bearing sands that will more than pay for the damage done. After each big storm miners pan the new sand that has been cast out. The bottom of the sea in front of Nome is rich in gold, but no method of working it has been successful.

LAND HUNGER FOUND IN RURAL ENGLAND

Report Proposes Minimum Wage, and Increase of Small Holdings

London, Oct. 15.—The government committee which has been inquiring secretly into the land question in England has published a report which somewhat amplifies Rt. Hon. Lloyd George's Bedford speech.

The report, however, is discredited in Unionist quarters on allegations that the members of the investigating committee were not impartial, while religious and political prejudices are considered to have influenced the replies of some of the questions which only experts could answer. Another criticism is that there is no indication of the qualification of the persons who have made the report to the commissioners.

The report now issued deals only with the rural districts, and it records that generally the wages of agricultural laborers are not sufficient to support a normal family decently and maintain it in a state of physical efficiency. It adds "A minimum wage should be adjusted, while at the same time there should be an adjustment of rents by a land court, to enable the farmers to meet the increase they would have to pay in wages."

Stress is laid on the shortage of cottage accommodation and the prevalence of cottages which are unfit for human habitation. This, it is pointed out, causes not only overcrowding, but immorality and depopulation, besides facilitating the spread of disease. It is urged that it ought to be the statutory duty of the councils to provide proper cottage accommodation for every permanently employed person.

It is also recommended that powers should be given the local government authorities for the compulsory acquisition of the land necessary to carry out the commission's recommendations. There is, it says, further, "a deplorable land hunger," and the fact that this has not been satisfied is attributed to the apathy of the county councils, to the hostility of the farmers and to the excessive prices. Steps are proposed to be taken to increase the number of small holdings by state-aided purchases, by farmer-tenancy under the state and by more complete fixity of tenure.

In the remedies proposed to deal with land under cultivation, land owners see an attempt being made to prevent the landlords from imposing any new taxation, and the measure is secured, landlords look for legislation aimed to tax them out of existence and automatically nationalize the land.

THREW VEGETABLES AT JUDGE WHO SENTENCED

Three Militant Women Sent in Great Britain to Jail Terms for Crimes.

Glasgow, Scotland, Oct. 15.—Two militant suffragettes, Margaret Morrison, an artist, and Mrs. Smith, a physician, were sentenced here yesterday to eight months imprisonment for attempting on July 24 to set fire to the residence of the late Sir John Muir, former lord mayor of Glasgow. There was a wild scene in court when the judge pronounced the sentence.irate suffragettes hurled vegetables and apples at the judge's head and sang the Marseillaise. Three women were arrested.

Cambridge, Eng., Oct. 15.—Miss Miriam Pratt, a militant suffragette school teacher of Norwich, was sentenced here yesterday to eighteen months penal servitude for setting fire to a house in this city on May 17. The fire caused great damage to one of the university laboratories.

CABINET RESIGNATIONS PREDICTED NEXT YEAR

Members of Borden Cabinet May Stay for Next Session of Parliament.

Ottawa, Oct. 15.—The recurring reports of the resignations of various members of Mr. Borden's cabinet are not likely to be verified, in fact, until after the coming session of parliament," says an Ottawa dispatch to the Montreal Daily Mail. The withdrawal of Hon. Louis Coderre, Hon. Bruno Nantel, Hon. Mr. Pelletier, Hon. Mr. Crothers and Hon. Dr. Roche have all been predicted.

"Some of these resignations, it is said, on good authority, will probably occur within the next year, but none are likely to come just when the government is preparing for the session. It is believed that Dr. Roche, whether he retires or not, on account of his health, would be relieved of the immigration branch of the interior department, this being added to the proposed new department of public health," says the dispatch.

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GOVERNOR OF COLORADO HAS STORMY INTERVIEW

Prominent Mine Operators Ordered to Be Thrown Out of Official's Office.

Denver, Colo., Oct. 15.—Until a late hour last night Governor E. M. Ammons, Attorney-General Fred Farrar and Adjutant-General John Chase were in conference concerning the strike situation in the coalfields of Colorado. It became known that financial interests in Colorado had been urging the governor to dispatch troops to the troubled regions so that operations of the mines could be continued under state guard.

Governor Ammons and two of the most prominent operators of the southern district had a stormy interview, the conclusion of which resulted in the governor calling his special police to throw the men out of the office.

An instance of this violence was given yesterday when two of the wives of strikers were captured by the wives of strikers and beaten and made to promise that they would persuade their husbands not to work at the mines.

SUGGESTS PRECAUTION.

London, Oct. 15.—Sir Edwin Ray Lankester, in a letter to the Daily Telegraph, yesterday, on the scientific aspects of throwing oil on a stormy sea, attacks the British government for permitting passenger ships to go to sea without an apparatus for this purpose, neglecting in this manner, he says, one of the simplest precautions for the safety of passengers.

CARRANZA LOSES MEN IN BATTLE ON MONDAY

Mexico City, Oct. 15.—Official reports received here describe two battles in which more than 100 rebels were killed. In a thirty-six-hour engagement, which began on Monday near El Potrero, in Sinaloa, sixty-four were killed and many wounded. The rebels fled, pursued by cavalry.

Forty additional followers of Carranza were killed in El Carmen Canyon, north of Monclova in Coahuila, Monday. Five hundred rebels surrounded a small detachment of federal reinforcements arrived and prevented the annihilation of the detachment. Caught between two fires the rebels were routed.

MANY ARE INTERESTED IN MODEL MARRIAGES

New York, Oct. 15.—So great has become the interest in the plan to bring about a model marriage on eugenic principles that letters from many parts of the union are being received at the offices of Frederick H. Robinson, who suggested the experiment.

One letter was from an inmate of the state prison. He asked for another chance in life and declared that if allowed to enter the contest when liberated he would show the world his sincerity.

Many applications from engaged couples are being investigated and the history of the applicants gathered.

There are nearly 5,000,000 acres of waste land in Great Britain which are capable of being cultivated.

SUPERSEDE WAS WORD THAT WON THE PRIZE

Tacoma Commercial Club Holds Spelling Bee at First Dinner.

Tacoma, Oct. 15.—Staid business and professional men of Tacoma enjoyed an old-fashioned spelling bee at the Commercial Club last night, on the occasion of the first of the club's membership dinners. Two teams of 10 men each were chosen for the contest, under the leadership of A. B. Howe and F. G. Fisher. Henry F. Wegener, teacher in Stadium high school, won the prize and at the same time a \$50 club membership.

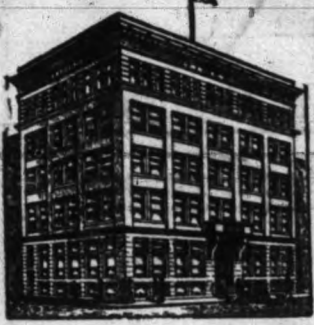
"Supersede" was the last word of the long contest. Prof. Wegener's only remaining opponent spelling it with a "g" and losing.

City Attorney Stiles fell down on "hieroglyphics," spelling it "het." Prof. F. H. Gault, former president of Whitworth College, failed to spell "Tammam."

Before the night was over the Bible was resorted to for words, after the daily papers had been exhausted. About three hundred attended.

CHICAGO APPOINTS "TANGO" COMMITTEE

Chicago, Oct. 15.—Every movement of the dancers in cafes and theatres of Chicago, where the tango is alleged to be danced, will be closely watched by a "tango committee" of the city council, appointed last night by Mayor Harrison to procure suggestions for the framing of a "tango ordinance."



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ON A SOUND BASIS.

Nothing more conclusively establishes the soundness of Victoria's financial condition than the city tax returns. Of \$1,676,966.35 collectable the sum of \$1,455,356.10 was paid into the city treasury, a showing we do not think is surpassed by any city in Canada. The percentage is 87, against 70 contributed by the taxpayers of Vancouver.

This money was paid by those property owners who desired to secure the rebate available up to September 30. The others will have to pay the full amount, but between both elements the city authorities expect that fully ninety-five per cent. of the taxes will have been paid by the end of the year. It is true the percentage this year is not as large as that of a year ago, but to offset this we should bear in mind that the final day for obtaining the rebate was set a month earlier than in 1912, which may account for the difference.

In other cities when there has been a period of quiet after an unprecedented growth there has followed a depressing slaughter at tax sales. Many a property owner who was reputed to be wealthy has seen his holdings go under the hammer. But this has not been the case in Victoria. This city's financial equilibrium is as stable to-day as at any time in its history. Its reputation as one of the relatively wealthiest communities on the continent remains unscathed.

PEACE OR WAR?

Will it be peace or war? The calcium has been shifted from the blood-stained Balkans to distracted Mexico, which has been an arena of intrigue, revolution and assassination ever since iron-handed Porfirio Diaz relaxed his grip upon the country. The tyrannical suppression of his congress by Huerta and his insolent assumption of the dictatorship have precipitated a crisis pregnant with the gravest possibilities. The announcement that presidential elections would be held this month; the nomination of candidates and the expressly stated decision of Huerta that he was not an aspirant to the office, had created the world-wide hope that the situation had been cleared of its most formidable obstacles.

But, unfortunately, one very potent factor was overlooked—the character of the man who was in command. He had been the trusted lieutenant of President Madero, sworn to defend the state against the rebel Felix Diaz, who had been captured and imprisoned. Suddenly he betrayed his chief and the vice-president, liberated Diaz, ruthlessly grasped the reins of power himself and caused the assassination of the unhappy Madero and Suarez. Diaz early realized that when Huerta turned traitor it was for his own ends, and wisely concluded that the assassin of Madero might become next the assassin of Diaz or any other aspirant to the chief magistracy. So he departed on a "diplomatic mission" which has placed him beyond the reach of the dictator.

It was too much to expect that such a man as Huerta would live up to his guarantees or favor constitutional government. His uncontrollable lust for power had impelled him to dark crimes, and it was scarcely likely that he would relinquish his cherished object if he could avoid it. But he must now deal with a wider constituency than Mexico. The world loves not dictators. A century ago it united to crush a mightier despot than Huerta, whose judgment had been dethroned by his ambition. In this case the chief responsibility rests with the United States, which for obvious reasons has a more intimate interest in the situation than any other power. Huerta cannot claim immunity from outside interference. His country is being de-

veloped by foreign capital largely at the solicitation of the Mexican authorities. It has contracted foreign loans and other international obligations. It is the right of foreign powers, then, to demand that proper constitutional measures be taken to ensure the restoration of order and the protection of their interests.

Once Huerta impudently has told the United States to mind its own affairs. Now, in the face of friendly admonition, he has violated every principle of constitutional government and virtually obliterated his congress. We may expect that his reply to President Wilson's last forcible remonstrance will be as insolent as the others, and this may snap the overstrained patience of the American people, whose demand that the murderous usurper be punished cannot be ignored. Even as it is, the big republic has faced the situation with moderation and restraint. Few of the European powers, if any, would have held their breath as long in similar circumstances. But the time seems to be at hand when patience will have ceased to be a virtue and strong arm remedies may have to be resorted to.

COMING HOME.

Somewhere on the turbulent Atlantic a big liner is bearing Sir Richard McBride towards the Canadian shore. The annual junket is nearing an end. The engraving department in the party press is busy furnishing up the cut which shows the Premier in his most gracious statesmanlike posture. His genial countenance will again be a weekly feature and we shall be told that poor old England is waiting on tip-toe for the thirty-five million dollars which stands between her and the pawnbroker.

But is it too much to hope that we shall be informed of the real purpose of this trip? The ostensible object, as announced by Sir Richard himself, was to open the strong box of the London financial giants to the provincial municipalities. Next he said he was going to survey the money market generally and assist not only the municipalities but industrial enterprises as well. We suggested that it was not the financial disabilities of the municipalities that were agitating the Premier but that he was bothered by the necessity for a big provincial loan. We were at once rebuked by the vigilant party press, which declared that a provincial loan was not on the programme at all. But if that assurance was correct, it certainly is equally true that he did not go so far to whisper a few kindly words in the ears of the money-bags on behalf of our municipalities. No provincial premier can succeed where established fiscal agents meet difficulties. In fact the financial magnates of London have become suspicious of provincial premiers: who, talk imperialism at banquets and try to unload provincial bonds afterwards.

We know the provincial authorities are pining their expenditures to a minimum. The expenditure on public works has been reduced about three millions below the amount appropriated. In view of the fact that the legislature merrily voted an expenditure of six million dollars more than the expected revenue, the gullotine will have to work overtime to reduce the outlay sufficiently to enable the finance minister with the usual flourish to declare a "substantial surplus" next year. But it is not because of the ordinary expenditure of the province that a provincial loan may be required. Much depends upon the extent to which the government has financed the Canadian Northern Railway. How much money has been advanced to the company against the sale of bonds? How heavily have we become involved in the financial circumstances of this corporation? These are questions which should be answered when the legislature meets; or possibly Sir Richard, whose trip to England had more to do with this phase of the situation than the tribulations of the municipalities, may be so good as to enlighten us before then.

REASON FOR ALARM.

We gather from the comments, in some cases mingled with alarm, of some of our eastern contemporaries that there is grave disquietude respecting the effect upon Canada of the Underwood tariff. It seems there has been a considerable rush of nice, fat, juicy Canadian cattle across the border, upon which Americans will feast with satisfaction, and doubtless become fat, comfortable and delighted with their outlook upon the world. There is the danger of course that our fortunate neighbors, more fortunate than us in that now they have the privilege of eating untaxed food, may assimilate with our rich beef a feeling that Canada is a goodly land and much to be desired. We wonder that this possible phase of the situation has not occurred to the politicians, who two years ago solemnly warned us to "have no truck or trade with the Yankees" lest a worse thing befall the empire. The chances are, indeed we may say it is absolutely certain, that the Americans who are buying our cattle now and will be coveting many other good things we produce in considerable abundance, are

paying over Yankee dollars in exchange therefor. Have our empire defenders fully considered the possible effect of this trading? Is there not a danger that the fat pocketbooks of our farmers, bursting with American bills or with much fine gold that looks so enticing to the eye and feels so pleasant in the hand—is there not a danger, we say, that these things may affect the loyalty of our Canadian agriculturists and play the mischief with the destiny of our loved country? What with Americans in the West buying our Vancouver Island coal because it is a superior fuel, and Americans in the East enticing farmers to sell them their beef and many other things that emit an appetizing odor when on the table, surely it is time for the Borden government to consider the heroic remedy of our good friend and correspondent Dr. Home.

But it seems there is more at stake in this matter of the sale of beef and wheat and coal than the fate of the Dominion of Canada and the stability of the British empire, which, we are told, is menaced by even a modicum of free trade. Eastern Canadians are finding that they will have to pay more for their beef. That is a vital matter with them, and overshadows even the future of the empire. They are beginning to protest against it. And in the course of their investigations they have discovered another startling fact. It is that we are not only furnishing untaxed food to the Americans, but even cheaper food to the British. We are selling the residents of London flour of the finest quality in the world for \$4.15 a barrel, while the people of Winnipeg are compelled to pay for the same article \$5 a barrel. The exasperating feature of this matter is that Winnipeg is the centre of the wheat-growing district of Canada; that the flour from which the wheat is ground is manufactured in Canada, and that it cannot be transported to London without payment of considerable sums to the railways and the steamship companies which carry it five thousand miles. The farmer profits not at all from this remarkable difference in price, so the conclusion must be that the millers are grinding the faces of the people as well as the flour of our farmers. High duties enable them to do this. All the facts considered, it is not a matter for wonder that the Canadian Manufacturers' Association takes the position that the tariff is all right except for a few minor defects that require adjustment (in the direction of higher duties, of course), for the millers exercise considerable influence in the councils of that body.

Dr. Home, to be right. Free trade does sometimes tend towards revolution. Freer trade with the United States is going to lead to a fiscal revolution in Canada. The Colonist asks its readers who was the greatest hero of fiction. We suspect our contemporary is merely seeking an excuse for printing again that picture of Sir Richard.

ONE ON THE JUDGE.

From the Green Bag.
The Law Times tells a story of the late Lord Ashbourne, who, as Lord Chancellor presiding in the Court of Appeals in Ireland, would occasionally make up his mind to bring a case to an end before the rising of the court.

A junior who was not conscious of his humor stood up to open what appeared to be a short interlocutory appeal. Lord Ashbourne, after a sentence or two had been spoken, interjected, "Now, Mr. —, why should we reverse the King's Bench on a point like this?"
"My Lord," rejoined counsel, "there are six reasons why the order should be reversed."
"Then," said the president of the court, "suppose we commence with your three best."
"No, my Lord," said counsel, "I could not consent to that, because I have frequently succeeded in this court upon my bad points."
Lord Ashbourne collapsed and for once was unable to have his own way in the Court of Appeal.

TART AND TARTAR.

From the New Star.
When James T. Brady first opened a lawyer's office in New York he took a basement room which had been previously occupied by a cobbler. He was somewhat annoyed by the previous occupant's callers and irritated by the fact that he had few of his own. One day an Irishman entered.
"The cobbler's gone, I see," he said.
"I should think he has," tartly responded Brady.
"And what do you sell?" said the visitor, looking at the solitary table and a few law books.
"Blockheads," responded Brady.
"Begorra," said the Irishman, "ye must be doing a mighty fine business—ye ain't got but one left."

MUST RAISE MORE CATTLE.

Montreal Telegraph.
It is useless to look with regret on the passing of the great cattle ranges of the West. Under modern conditions they are a most wasteful way of utilizing land. What we have to do is to encourage the small farmer to devote more attention to cattle raising. That he can raise far more cattle to the acre than the ranchers, and with less risk of loss through disease and accident, is indisputable. This problem is one of the most serious before both Canada and the United States, and it is to be hoped our government will give it the serious attention it deserves. There is no need whatever for beef to become prohibitive in price.

NORTHCLIFFE'S FOOL TALK.

Ottawa Evening Journal.
Hurrah for Northcliffe! He makes it clear that no matter how many or how brainy women there may be, and no matter how few or how stupid men, the men ought to be the rulers. Even one fool-man among a million clever women ought to run the whole show, just because he is a man. It is a great line of argument. It saves a lot of mental trouble.

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PASTOR WELCOMED

Dr. and Mrs. Cameron Are Guests of Honor at Reception at Tabernacle Baptist Church.

A most enjoyable and largely-attended reception was held last evening in the social parlors of the Tabernacle Baptist church in honor of the pastor, Rev. Dr. Cameron, and his wife. The proceedings opened with a delicious supper, the bountiful collation being provided by the ladies of the congregation, and the tables beautifully decorated with flowers and lights.

The latter part of the proceedings consisted of an informal programme and entertainment, Arthur Turner presiding at the piano, and making a happy address, and Mrs. McLean, on behalf of the members of the church, welcoming Dr. and Mrs. Cameron and expressing their high appreciation of the doctor's ministry among them. The speaker also called attention, during her talk, to the need of a new furnace in the church, and later in the evening Mr. Wishart, acting on the suggestion, made the announcement that he would open a fund toward this end with the sum of \$10. The subscription was generously added to until, before the proceedings were at an end, he had succeeded in raising sufficient money to install the furnace. A most enjoyable occasion to a close.

WILL ASSEMBLE HERE

Royal Sanitary Institute Will Hold Sessions in Connection With School Trustees' Convention

For the session of the Royal Sanitary Institute, which will hold its gathering for British Columbia in connection with the convention next week of the School Trustees' Association of the province, a number of papers have been arranged.

There will be another session at the Aberdeen school in Vancouver on Saturday week. The Victoria session will take place next Wednesday afternoon and evening at the George Jay School, Capt. D. McIntosh in the chair. Hon. Dr. Young, Minister of Education, will give an address in the afternoon. The speakers will be Miss Alice Henson, "The Factor of Importance in School Hygiene"; Dr. H. J. Watson, "Physical defects arising before school age"; Mrs. Peter McNaughton, "Health as an asset to the student, and our methods of protecting it." In the evening session there will be papers by Miss Ravenhill, "The organization of health protection," and Dr. W. E. Home on "Why Children Die." Discussion will then be invited.

AMENDING BUILDING BY-LAW.

Committee Assembled on Subject This Afternoon—Salary Question To-morrow.

A meeting of the committee which is dealing with the amendments of the building by-law adopted in July 1912 was held this afternoon.

The amendments are becoming more comprehensive as time goes on and as the various bodies have an opportunity to express themselves. It is practically an impossibility to devise a measure which is acceptable to everybody.

The amendments include many valuable suggestions which have developed in practice. While the majority are largely questions of detail, others affect policy matters such as allowing tents or canvas buildings to be erected at the beaches.

Another municipal subject which interests the city hall staff far more than the outside public is the salaries issue, which has been steadily allowed to drift from week to week since the estimates were prepared in the spring. The comptroller is holding \$5,000 in case something is done this year to adjust the pay roll and give a fairer deal to a number of the junior men. Data from various points of Canada has been collected.

RIEL AND CARSON.

Toronto Star.
Was Louis Riel right in offering armed resistance to the government of Canada and driving out William Macdougall, whom Sir John Macdonald had appointed to govern the Red River settlers? If not, would Sir Edward Carson be right in offering armed resistance to the government and legislature of Ireland, and to the Imperial government and parliament, by which the Irish legislature will be created? A foot of newly-fallen snow leaves only an inch of water when melted.

Special Purchase of Sample Dresses, Also a Few of Our Regular Stock, Values From \$20 to \$40—Friday \$13.75

BUYING these lovely Sample Dresses at a remarkably low price and adding a few from our regular stock enables us to make an exceptionally attractive offering for Friday. There are Dresses here suitable for afternoon, street and evening wear and they come in exquisite shades of silk and chiffon, also net and cloth. Practically all the new and leading styles are included, some showing semi-evening, round or pointed yoke effects, embroidered or with rich trimmings of appliques. The Silk Dresses are in dark shades of blues, greens, wines and fancy stripes, very suitable for afternoon and street wear. The Cloth Dresses are in blue and black serge and fancy black and white stripes. Some in the plain tailored style and others have pipings of contrasting shades. Splendid Dresses for street wear. Coming right at the beginning of the season this offering we feel sure will be fully appreciated. We therefore advise you to make your purchase early to save disappointment. Reg. values from \$20 to \$40. Friday special..... **\$13.75**

See View Street Windows.

Special Sale of Furs, Friday

FROM such a large selection of remarkable offerings in all classes and styles of Furs you should have very little difficulty in making your purchase at an advantageous price to yourself. Full particulars can be gathered by seeing the samples displayed in the Broad street windows.

Moleakin Furs from the small necktie at \$4.50 to the long, wide scarf at **\$40.00**
Squirrel Furs, from the small neck tie with head and tail at \$8.75 to the four-strand tie at **\$45.00**
Ermine, small ties at \$27.50 to **\$30.00**
Imitation Ermine, from \$6.75 to **\$12.50**
Electric Seal, from \$7.50 to **\$20.00**
Caracul, from \$4.50 to **\$20.00**
Black Fox, from \$25 to **\$50.00**
Rabbit Furs, dyed black, from \$2.50 to **\$7.50**
Goatskins at **\$7.50**
Marmot, handsome furs from \$4.50 to **\$35.00**
Kolinsky, from \$15 to **\$35.00**
Stone Opussum at \$30.00 and **\$35.00**
English Fitch, from \$25 to **\$60.00**
Mink Furs up to **\$150.00**

CHILDREN'S FUR SETS

Caracul, in white, neck tie with muff attached. Per set **\$1.00**
Imitation Ermine, necktie, each **50¢**
Muff to match **50¢**
Teddy Bear Sets, necktie, each **50¢**
Teddy Bear Sets, hooded, each **50¢**
Teddy Bear Sets, in white, at each **35¢**
A few Travellers' Sample Sets of Furs to clear at prices from \$1.50 to **\$5.75**

See Broad Street Windows.

550 Pairs of Ladies' Gloves, Friday at Half-Price

THAT'S welcome news to the lady who wants a new pair of gloves and at the same time, you will be buying an extra pair to have by you in case of emergency. They are all good value gloves at their regular prices, and as there's sure to be a rush for these, to save disappointment we particularly draw your attention to the sizes quoted.
350 Pairs of Black Glace Kid Gloves, 2 clasp and in all sizes. Regular \$1 value, for **50¢**
100 Pairs of Tan Glace Kid Gloves, 2 clasp, in size 6 1/2 only. Regular \$1 value, for **50¢**
100 Pairs Real Chamois Gloves in natural shade and sizes 1 1/2 and 6 only. Regular \$1 value, for **50¢**

—Main Floor

A Big Sale of Women's Shoes, Friday at \$2.95 and \$3.95

WITHOUT a doubt this is the largest and best Shoe sale we have had for several months. There's such a big variety of styles, leathers and sizes that there's not the slightest reason why you should not find a pair that will suit you fine and give you every satisfaction in wear. Every pair is this season's goods and the very latest in style.

At \$2.95 you can choose from:

Patent Button and Lace, with high or low heels, broad or narrow toes.
Gun-metal Button and Lace, with high or low heels.
Patent Button, with black cravenette tops, pointed toes, no toe cap; the most popular style of the season.
Gun-metal Button, with brown leather tops.

At \$3.95 there's a very wide range of styles in:

Patent Leather Button Boots, with cloth tops, plain toes or with tips.
Patent Leather Button, with calf top, broad and narrow toes, high or low heels.
All Gun-metal in the same style as above.

See View street windows.

Two Days Sale of Men's Lined and Unlined Gloves

VALUES TO \$1.50, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, 75¢

EXTRAORDINARY values are being offered this week-end in Men's Fall and Winter Gloves. Every pair is a reliable quality and fully recommended. Here are the particulars:

Men's Tan Dogskin Gloves, unlined, heavy weight, all sizes. Regular values to \$1.25, for **75¢**
Men's Wool-Lined Mocha Gloves, tan shades, for cycling, driving or street wear. All sizes. Regular \$1.00 value for **75¢**
25 Dozen Men's Suede Gloves, unlined, in tan, beaver and grey shades. All sizes. Regular values up to \$1.25, for **75¢**
3 Dozen only, Dant's Tan Kid Gloves, in sizes 7, 7 1/2, 8 and 9. Regular value \$1.50, for **75¢**
20 Dozen Men's Tan Cape Gloves, with silk linings, from driving or walking. All sizes. Regular \$1.25 value, for **75¢**

—Main Floor

Important Sale of Men's Raincoats Friday at \$6.90

That's a very low price for a reliable Raincoat, but the fact is, we only have 25 of these Coats and we wish to clear up the line to make room for other goods on the way. These Coats have military collar, fly fronts and in full-length. The sizes range from 48 to 56. A good reliable waterproof. Special clearing price, Friday **\$6.90**

Men's Oxford Tweed Trousers, Fri. Special at \$2.50

This is the kind of Trousers we recommend for real hard wear. They are strongly-tailored garments in Oxford tweeds, in browns, greys and black, and light stripes, finished with two hip and two side pockets. All sizes from 32 to 42. Only 75 pairs. Special sale Friday, per pair **\$2.50**

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ROYAL COMMISSION

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Provincial Labor Commission will be held at 10 a. m. on Wednesday, 22nd October, in the Members' Room, Parliament Building, Victoria.

The Commission is empowered to inquire into all matters affecting the conditions of labor in British Columbia. All persons interested are invited to attend and give evidence.

H. G. PARRON, Chairman.
F. R. McNAMARA, Secretary.

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Mr. Fitzpatrick: Dear Sir:—Will you kindly send me one treatment of your Asthma Cure, Indian Herb Cure. Send it by return express as I am leaving for the East on Saturday and I want to take it with me. Enclosed find express order for fifteen dollars. I am trying this medicine on a testimonial of one of your former patients.
Yours truly,
MRS. CHAS. DOAN.

MUSEUM REPORT.

Operations and Researches of the Staff of Provincial Institution for 1912.

During the year 1912 there were some 175,000 visitors to the museum in the parliament buildings, according to the annual report of the museum, just issued from the presses of the King's Printer. Only 87,000 signed the register, but in spite of the notice asking all visitors to do so it is estimated that only about one in five observe the request.

An account is contained in the report of the work done by the staff during the year, including a report on the trip which was taken by the curator, Frank G. Kermode, to the British Museum and to the large American museums. A striking illustration in the book is that of the group of white bears in the museum. This is the only species of white bear other than the polar bear, named by Hornaday, their discoverer, Ursus Kermodei, in honor of the curator. There are several other illustrations representing the fauna of the province.

BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Sands & Fulton, Ltd., funeral directors, 1515 Quadra street. Phone 3306.

Ladies' Tailor—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 6, Haynes Bldg., Fort Street.

Hanna & Thomson, Pandora Ave.—Leading funeral furnishing house. Connections: Vancouver, New Westminster and Winnipeg.

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; Secretary, 141738.

Phoenix Stout, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

The B. C. Fuel Co., Chas. Hayward, president, 734 Broughton street. Calls promptly attended to. Phone 2325.

How Can You Expect to have a happy home if you do not burn our dry wood. Geo. Burt, 735 Pandora St. Tel. 828.

Economy Wet Wash Laundry—Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3389, 2613 Bridge street.

Buy One Cord of Our Dry Wood; "Nuff said." Everybody satisfied. Geo. Burt, 735 Pandora St. Tel. 828.

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For Fire, machine, automobile, liability, sickness and accident, plate glass, elevator and employers' liability, consult Gillespie, Hart & Todd, general agents for British Columbia. All claims settled and paid by our office.

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Fresh Killed Lamb—Forequarters, 15c lb.; hind cuts, 25c. Brown & Cooper, 910 Gordon St.

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Try Our Dry Cordwood and solve the fuel question for the winter. Geo. Burt, 735 Pandora St. Tel. 828.

Rink Opens To-morrow—Get your skates now and have the entire season's use of them. Skates for men, \$1.50 to \$4.00; for women, \$1.25 to \$4.00. R. A. Brown & Co., 1248 Douglas St.

Xmas Photo Special—During October only—one dozen Corona folder portraits finished in silk texture plating for \$6.75—regular price \$7.00, at the Skeene Lowe Studio, corner Yates and Douglas streets. Sit early in the month.

Wanted to Purchase—Good agreements for sale at reasonable rates. Colonial Trust Company, Limited, Merchants Bank Building.

Everybody Has Wood for Sale—but ours is dry. Geo. Burt, 735 Pandora street. Tel. 828.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

Popcorn Crispettes—See them made daily. Fresh roasted peanuts. Fort street, near Douglas.

Skates Ground, 610 Pandora, near Government.

Just Arrived From England—A new shipment of towels, towelling flannel-ettes and Scotch winery. Ready for sale to-morrow morning. Seabrook Young, 623 Johnson street.

Reduce Cost of Living—Skates hollow-ground, 25c. Wilson's, 614 Corner.

A Box of Rocher's Chocolates or Candies made fresh from our own original receipts. Nothing made nicer. Let us have your Xmas orders early. Corner View and Blanchard streets. Just try us once. Finest assortment of boxes and baskets carried in stock.

Skates Sharpened by modern methods at Hinton's, 911 Government Street.

Hungry Men—Will find, exultate relief in the perfectly-cooked, delightfully served meals "at The Kaiserhof."

Oh You Mud—Keep it out of the house by using a good cocoa fibre door mat. They clean the shoes, 75c to \$1.65, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 1302 Douglas St.

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Try New Life—Relieves pain instantly. Free demonstration. Special prices, 711 Yates St.

The Umbrella Shop, 610 Pandora St.

Save Money—Buy your gas at Wood Motor Company for 30c per gallon, cash or coupons.

Everybody Hear the Rev. C. T. Scott's, B. A., D. D., celebrated lecture "A Backwoods Statesman," in Metropolitan church, Monday evening next at 8 o'clock. General admission, 25c.

Phone 864 for Good Millwood, 3.00 double load, \$1.50 single load.

Prof. E. Claudius's Orchestra will give a sacred concert at the Victoria Theatre Sunday evening at 8.45. Admission free.

Report is issued—The annual report of the public works department has been issued.

Arrange Terms on Paving—As a matter of urgency at the city council last evening the council approved of the contract between the city and the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company, as represented by its liquidator, in connection with the Douglas street and George Road paving.

Building Permits—Building permits have been issued to T. Salvason for a residence at 755 Connaught road, costing \$2,500, and to S. Colgate for a house on Madison street costing \$4,000. In the latter case Jesse M. Warren is the architect, and J. B. Langford the contractor.

Oak Bay Permits—Building permits issued by the Oak Bay municipal authorities during the past couple of days include one to Thomas Ashe for an eight-room dwelling on Hampshire road, to cost \$6,000; to E. J. Chambers for a six-room cottage on Linkleas avenue, to cost \$3,200; and to F. G. Clark for a five-room bungalow on Saratoga avenue, to cost \$3,300.

Elks Open Club—The Elks' Club informally opened its new premises on the top floor of the Campbell-Building Tuesday evening, 125 members being present and the proceedings proved of a most enjoyable character. The chair was occupied by Bro. Barrett. Refreshments were served during the evening, and members who had not previously explored the club rooms availed themselves of the opportunity.

Increases His Price—That the delay in awarding the contract for the telephone work required in connection with the Sooke waterworks would raise the price to the city was anticipated. F. H. Folson, who was lowest in July, now indicates that he will have to charge \$10,875 instead of his bid of \$8,625, owing to the extra cost of haulage in bad weather. He had expected if the contract had been awarded in August to have had the work done by November.

Evening Continuation Classes—The English and arithmetic classes appear to be the most attractive for the prospective students of the evening continuation classes, to judge from the registrations so far made, but the board would gladly welcome further applications, which should be lodged at once with the secretary of the school board. The decorative art class will include instruction in drawing, geometry, design, ornament, lettering, show card writing, sign writing, the theory of color and stencilling, and will be of a most practical kind. An expert has been secured for this class of work.

Pass Resolution.—The following resolution was passed at the last meeting of L. O. L., 1610: "Whereas the influx of Orientals to British Columbia continues to increase at an alarming rate and it will have a tendency to lower our social, economical and moral conditions, therefore be it resolved by the officers and members of Loyal Lodge No. 1610, that we place ourselves on record as being strongly opposed to any further entrance of Orientals into British Columbia, and ask that such legislation shall be brought down at the next session of the provincial legislature that totally excludes Orientals from entering this province."

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, October 16, 1888.

At the quarterly meeting of the Board of Trade the president, R. Ward, reported that the question of liquor licenses had been before the board, and he thought there was room for amendment in the existing system, which was practically unrestrictive.

William Dalby left this morning for Harrison Hot Springs, where he will remain a week or two, and possibly afterwards extend his trip to Winnipeg and Ontario.

The Otter now lies at Spratt's wharf being dismantled and cleared of her engines to fit her for her future walk in life, that of a coal barge. The Otter was built by the celebrated firm of Green & Co., at Millwall, London, in 1882, for the Hudson's Bay Company, and was launched in the same year. Of the auxiliary screw propeller class, barque-rigged, her engines were manufactured by Morley & Company. She arrived on this coast in 1883, and was engaged for some years in the service of the Hudson's Bay Company. The Canadian Pacific Navigation Company purchased her with other vessels a few years ago.

A rock slide of about 50 tons took place to-day at the first cutting south of Niagara canyon on the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway. The southbound train struck the slide, derailling and slightly damaging the track. There were no passengers or trainmen injured.

A Chance to Unload.—What have you in real estate. We have some excellent bargains in used cars which we will exchange. Wood Motor Company, Limited.

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Court of Revision.—There will be 25 by-laws brought before the court of revision on local improvement by-laws on October 30.

More Pay Given.—The men of the 88th Fusiliers have received another \$1.10 of the pay coming to them for strike duty at Nanaimo.

Music for Skating.—Those who skated at the arena last season will be interested to learn that Rowland's band will again provide music at the rink this season.

May Not Be Candidate.—It is stated that Councillor Quick will not offer himself for re-election in Ward V. at the next Saanich municipal election, and that Councillors Jordan and Verderer are so far undecided on the matter.

Salaries Question.—There will be a meeting of the salaries committee of the city council on Friday afternoon to consider the report which is to be presented on the question of readjusting the salaries of civic officials.

Visit Site—Civic officials yesterday visited the property on Fairfield road which is to be subject of arbitration proceedings on Friday. Geo. Hessehawe is the owner, putting in a claim for \$11,178, while the city's estimate is only \$3,235. John Deas will act for the city and Mr. Russell for the claimant. J. Elford is the umpire. This is one of the Fairfield road widening cases.

Considered Baths.—A meeting of the committee on public swimming baths was held last evening and letters were read from a number of the leading organizations which have entered into the movement and have named their representatives to act on the committee. As some of the local societies meet only once a month, a few have yet to be heard from. Those organizations the movement express the belief that a strong and thorough representative citizens' committee is assured.

Receives Sad News.—Desk Sergeant Allen, of the city police force, this morning received the sad news of the death of his brother, John Allen, at Bude, North Cornwall, England. The late Mr. Allen was one of the most prominent farmers in that part of the kingdom, and for the past twenty-five years had been a leading figure in agricultural matters in southwest England and an officer in several associations. In his younger days he was a famous athlete in his county. He was the favorite brother of Sergeant Allen, with whom there will be much sympathy felt. The death occurred on October 1.

Voice Their Support.—At its last meeting L. O. L., 1610, passed the following resolution: "We, the officers and members of Loyal Orange Lodge, 1610, hereby pledge our unanimous moral and financial support to the Ulster Unionist council under the leadership of Sir Edward Carson in their struggle to prevent the dismemberment of the British Empire, and on behalf of civil and religious liberty, and we further voice our emphatic protest against the support that the press of Canada, both Conservative and Liberal, are giving to the Nationalist Party of Ireland who are at the present day as in the past openly preaching and practicing treason, and who never lose an opportunity to trample the Union Jack and all that the flag represents in the dust."

THE STYLES

FOR MEN!

Men, year by year, are paying more attention to style in their clothing. They find it pays to dress well. They want to be up-to-date in fit and fabric for up-to-date clothes mark the Right-on-the-Minute Man. Making men's clothing is becoming more of a fine art.

Designers go abroad to study styles for men just as fashionable dressmakers and milliners go to Paris to get the newest ideas of the creators of fashion.

Designers have caught the spirit and are more careful than ever about the way they show their clothes. There is more dash about men's clothing advertising than ever before. Newspaper advertising has been a great factor in this improvement. It has been an education to the men and an inspiration to the trade. Read the men's clothing announcements in daily newspapers like THE TIMES.

They are well worth your time—a liberal education is what's what, and who's who. Among the "Right-on-the-Minute-Men."

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By John Kendrick Bangs

ONLY A TEST.

Cheer up, old Pat! Ain't ye doin' your best? All of these troubles is only a test. Set for your strength for to settle for sure. How much or little your soul can endure.

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New Line Completed.—The new government telegraph line connecting Newport at the head of Howe Sound with the main line of the telegraph has just been completed and is now ready to handle commercial business.

Arranging Peace Celebration.—E. H. Scammell, P. R. C. I., organizing secretary of the Canadian Peace Centenary Association, is coming to Victoria in a few days to organize celebrations here in keeping with those which will take place all across the Dominion.

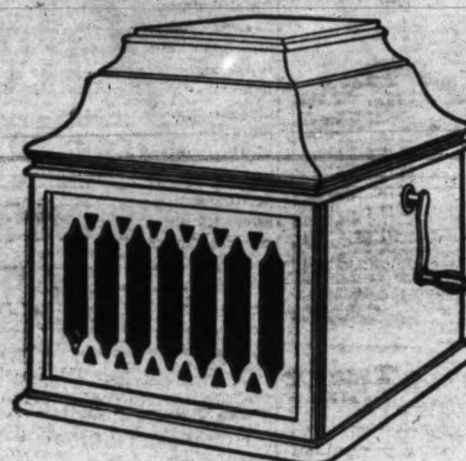
Died at Brighton.—News was received yesterday by H. P. Johnson, of Oak Bay, of the death of his mother, Mrs. Johnson, at Brighton, England. Mrs. Johnson was well known in Victoria, where she had lived for many years, and a wide circle of friends are left in the city who will learn of her death with grief.

ATTEMPTS TO SUICIDE

Albert Griggs Found With Throat Cut in Basement of Newly-Finished Residence.

An attempt at suicide was made by Albert Griggs, who resides in one of the cabins at 840 Johnson street, some time yesterday afternoon in the basement of the dwelling, 2535 Scott street. He is now lying in the Royal Jubilee hospital with a good chance for life. About half past three o'clock Mrs. Berry, who lives in the Scott Street house, had occasion to go down to the cellar, where she was disagreeably surprised to find a man lying on the ground with blood streaming from his throat and a blood-stained razor by his side. She ran outside to seek assistance and got Alex. McDonald, a city foreman, and then called the police.

McDonald remained with the man until the arrival of the police ambulance with Detectives Heather and Edens and Constable Bishop. The officers rendered efficient first aid, and the man will have to thank this for his life if he recovers. It was found that he had made a deep incision on the left side of his throat, missing the jugular vein by a hair's breadth. As soon as he had been attended to he was rushed to the hospital. From the semi-incoherent mutterings of Griggs it is surmised that he has been brooding over something that may have led to his trying to end his existence. He kept repeating that he had a large sum of money in his pockets. He has not been very long



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MARCONI HAS SAVED THOUSANDS OF LIVES

Wireless Invention One of the Greatest in World; Has Played Large Part

Although through his remarkable invention he has been the means of saving thousands from perishing in ships in different parts of this globe, Guglielmo Marconi, the first man to conceive the idea of sending telegrams through the air without the assistance of wires, has never been honored with a world-wide demonstration for his great achievement. On different occasions the eminent Italian has been called before some of the great monarchs of Europe, and honored by the citizens of some of the leading towns of the old land.

The rescuing of the 531 lives of the fire-swept liner *Volturno* in mid-Atlantic a few days ago, calls to mind again the untold good of wireless telegraphy. Within the space of a few hours the operator on board the ill-fated ship had summoned no less than ten liners to the assistance of the *Volturno*. Had this accident occurred before the invention of wireless the *Volturno* liner would have been posted in *Lloyds* as "missing" in a few weeks, and nothing more would have been heard of her. The great catastrophe to the *Titanic* called for great praise for the wonders of wireless, and Marconi's name was on the lips of nearly every living person in the civilized world. On the British Columbia and Alaska coasts the accidents have been numerous in which wireless telegraphy has played an important part, and lives have been saved through the rushed assistance of steamers nearby.

Had an Irish Mother.

Most Irishmen like to claim that Marconi received most of his ability from his mother, who came from the Emerald Isle. Marconi was born in Bologna, Italy, in 1874. He studied for an electrical engineer at the Bologna University, and carried out his first experiments with wireless at his home in the town. The first tests were carried out in England between Poldhu and Westward, and then he returned to Bologna and demonstrated his invention to the Italian minister of marine.

In 1899 he established wireless communication between England and France, across the English Channel. His system is now used exclusively by *Lloyds* and the principal shipping companies in Great Britain and abroad. Marconi is employed by the British and Italian admiralties in their respective navies and at various land stations ranging up to 1,000 miles. He was the first to receive signals, transmitted by his system of wireless telegraphy, across the Atlantic ocean, from Poldhu, Cornwall, to St. John's, Newfoundland, a distance of 2,100 miles, in 1901. In December of the following year, he announced to the world that he had established wireless communication between Cape Breton and England.

Has Been Decorated.

Marconi received several decorations in 1902. He was decorated by the Czar of Russia; with the Order of St. Anne; created by the King of Italy Commander of the Order of St. Mark; and St. Lazarus, and the Grand Cross of the Order of the Crown of Italy.

The following year he inaugurated on board the liner *Campasla* the first ocean daily newspaper. The *Cunard Daily Bulletin*. In 1905 he was created Chevalier of Civil Order of Savoy.

The wireless invention is destined still to be the means of saving the lives of many people who travel on ocean liners with coasting steamers, which meet with accidents at quite frequent intervals.

TO OVERHAUL GEORGE ABOUT END OF YEAR

G. T. P. Will Not Discontinue Semi-Weekly Run North Until Late

First of the big Grand Trunk Pacific liners to be withdrawn from the northern service for her annual overhaul will be the steamer *Prince George*, Capt. Donald, according to an announcement made this morning by Capt. C. H. Nicholson, manager of the company, who is in Victoria today on business. The semi-weekly service to Prince Rupert, however, is not to be discontinued until late in December, unless the passenger business takes a decisive drop prior to that time.

The *Prince George* ran ashore a short time ago and dented a few plates in her hull. The damage was not sufficient to cause the line to lay the ship up immediately for repairs. She will go into drydock as soon as taken out of service and will probably be on the stocks for a couple of weeks. The *Prince Rupert* will take the *George's* place, sailing out of here on Mondays. As soon as she has been thoroughly overhauled and repaired the *George* will return to the northern trade, relieving the *Prince Rupert*, which will have a lay-up. The semi-weekly service, which has proved so popular with people who travel up and down the British Columbia coast, will be suspended for only a few months. In former years the G. T. P. has only operated the two boats for about six months of the year, and the fact that the steamers are to be in service for a longer period in 1913 speaks well for the growth of passenger business on this coast.

John Off November 1.

The steamer *Prince John*, Capt. Wearmouth, is to be withdrawn from service the first of next month to be equipped as an oil-burner. The steamer *Prince Albert* will maintain a fortnightly service out of Victoria to the Queen Charlotte Islands and *Prince Rupert*. The *John* will be out of service for about a month or six weeks, having the change made. She will make one more trip on the summer schedule to the Queen Charlottes before being laid up.

REMOVING BAD WRECK

Liverpool, Oct. 16.—One of the most difficult wrecks which the surveyor's department of the Mersey Docks and Harbor Board has had to deal with for many years has been that of the steamer *Cormorant*, which struck upon the Mersey revetment wall many months ago. The wreck was a danger to navigation and her proximity to the wall made any dynamite operations appear distinctly unwise, for the damaging effect they might have on the revetment. However, during the last few weeks the survey department of the dock board has changed its mind and now, little by little, and with great caution, the wreck is being blown up. Operations were started about four weeks ago, and nearly half of the wreck has been dislodged.

ORCHY GETS IN TROUBLE

Word reached here yesterday that the steamer *Falls of Orchy*, which was here recently in the Royal Mail line, put into Colombo, Ceylon, September 18, with the low pressure cylinder cracked. The steamer was on her way to London from here. Temporary repairs were effected and she proceeded. She was last reported from Suez on October 17.

The *Falls* was the second Royal Mail liner to arrive on this coast and load the cargo of the damaged steamship *Lord Derby* at the Outer Docks.

ASIA SETTING OUT ON SECOND VOYAGE

Empress Which Leaves Yokohama To-day, May Make Better Speed on Trip

To-day the crack C. P. R. liner *Empress of Asia*, Capt. Robinson, is leaving Yokohama for Victoria on her second inward trans-Pacific voyage. Shipping men expect the newest of the white steamships to reveal a little speed on this trip, and it is quite likely that the record hung up by the *Empress of Russia* may be shattered. The *Asia* is due to arrive here on Saturday morning, October 25, and will reach William Head some time during the night. It is not probable that she will be at the quarantine station in time to receive her pratique on Friday evening.

On her maiden voyage to this coast the *Empress of Asia* did not show any great speed and was nearly ten days on the run from Yokohama. The guarantee engineers who are on board the white liner, evidently are not bent on driving the ship and chasing records. On this trip, however, the turbines may be given a little more steam and a chance will be given to see just what she can do. So far the *Russia* has a good margin on her sister ship, and unless the latter shows something very shortly it is not regarded as likely that the speed laurels will be snatched away from the present holder.

Many Chinese Coming.

There is a peculiarity about Orientals. They always want to travel on a new, big boat, and consequently the *Empresses* are getting the lion's share of the business. The *Asia* is bringing to Victoria several hundred natives of

MANY HINDUS COMING IN ON PANAMA MARU

Japanese Liner, Due in Morning, Has 56 on Board; Making Long Run

According to a wireless message flashed to R. P. Rithet & Co., agents for the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, by Capt. Kanno, master of the liner *Panama Maru*, there are 56 Hindus on board the inbound Japanese steamship. It is not known whether these subjects of India are new comers or whether they are coming here on their first visit. During the past 18 months a great many departed from this country with their pockets laden with money they have earned in British Columbia to spread the news of what a grand place is this Dominion. It is thought likely that the Hindus are now starting to return. The immigration authorities of this port will have to decide in the morning as to whether the men are eligible to land in Victoria.

Another wireless message from the Osaka liner states that she will reach William Head some time during the night, and remain there until daybreak, when she will be passed by the quarantine doctor. The *Panama* is expected to dock about 7.30 o'clock, and as she has only 200 tons of freight to put off at this port it is expected that she will get away for the Sound by noon. Besides the Hindus who are on board to Victoria, there are a number of Chinese and Japanese who intend to disembark here.

The *Panama* is making rather a long run across the Pacific, being out 15 days to-day from Yokohama. The heavy weather on the Pacific may possibly have interfered with her steamship.

On Winter Schedules.

The officials of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha and Osaka Shosen Kaisha have arranged the winter schedules for their steamships, which gives them one day longer to cross the Pacific. The *Yokohama Maru* will be the first of the Nippon boats to start the winter schedule, but nothing has been announced as to which will lead the Osaka's new time table.

OUT OF COURSE IN FOG, SCHOONER HITS

Merced Steamed Ashore North of Frisco; Passengers Are Safe

Eureka, Cal., Oct. 16.—A wireless message received here late last night from the steam schooner *Merced*, bound from San Francisco to Astoria and Portland with 25 passengers and a cargo of lumber, said that the vessel had gone on the rocks off Point Gorda. All the passengers and most of the crew were sent ashore in the small boats.

In the foggy weather prevailing, it is believed from the brief advice that the boat ran out of her course. The sea was calm last night.

The *Merced* is a schooner of 960 tons register and is commanded by Captain Asplund. She is owned by the Charles R. McCormick Company, of San Francisco.

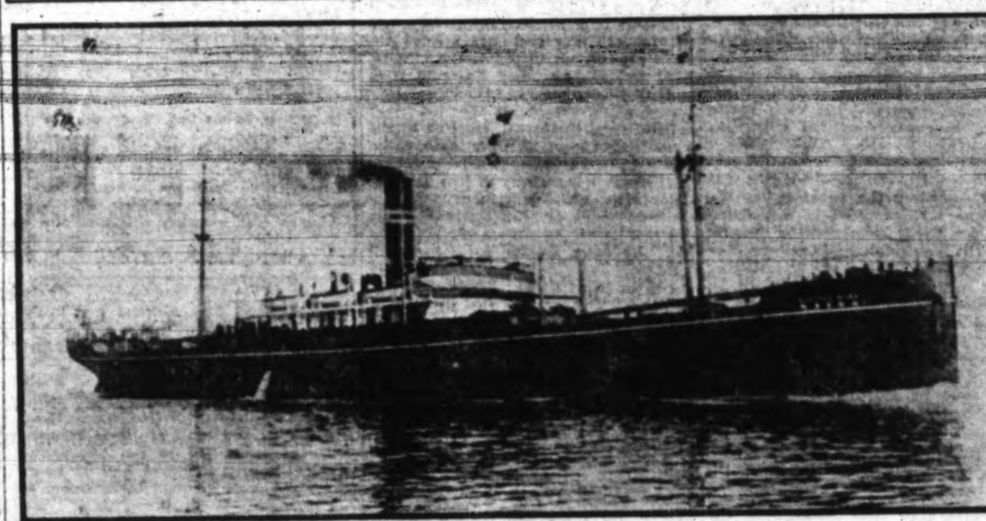
San Francisco, Oct. 16.—A wireless message from the steamer *Roma*, bound for Bellingham, from Port San Luis, said that after standing by the *Merced* until six o'clock this morning, without being able to render any assistance, she continued northward.

The passengers on board the *Merced*, the *Roma* reported, were picked up by the *Atlas* after they had put off in small boats.

TRAPPED ON THREE SIDES TAKES CHANCE ON OTHER

San Francisco, Oct. 16.—Dense fog which hung over San Francisco Bay lifted a moment as the steamer *John A. Hooper*, from Los Angeles harbor, was making port—or thought she was—and Captain Martin saw, a few yards ahead, the gray walls of the Cliff House, which stands at the end of Point Lobos, the southern promontory of the entrance of the harbor. The engine-room telegraph brought the vessel to an agitated standstill. Then she began to back, directly toward Seal Rocks, which are so near that the vessel occupied most of the intermediate space. To the south lay the sand

Japanese Liner Which is Bringing in Many Hindus



S. S. PANAMA MARU

OIL FUEL GIVES ROOM FOR HEAVIER ARMAMENT

Novelty in Battleships Launched To-day at Royal Navy Dockyards.

Portsmouth, Eng., Oct. 16.—Another novelty in battleships, the Queen Elizabeth, which carries an immense armament, was launched to-day at the Royal navy dockyards here. Details of her construction have been kept secret, but it is believed generally her armament is to consist of ten fifteen-inch guns, mounted in pairs, while her secondary armament of four-inch or six-inch guns is also to be placed behind protected armor.

LAST STEAMER UP YUKON READY TO LEAVE DAWSON

Dawson, Y. T., Oct. 16.—The last steamer of the year before the freeze-up from Dawson for White Horse will leave here late to-day or to-morrow. One boat left Tuesday and three more yesterday.

More than one hundred passengers were carried on each steamer as well as large supplies which will be taken to the depot which has been established at the mouth of the White River for the base of supply for the Chitana camp.

Four hundred tons of hay have been landed there while roadhouses are being built all along the trail from the mouth of the White River to the diglines, 180 miles away.

Among those leaving to-day for warmer climates are Dr. Alfred Thompson, M. P. for Ottawa, who will join his family in Nova Scotia first. Mr. Fred Condon, the former member for the Yukon, leaves for Vancouver on the last boat south.

CREW FIGHTS FLAMES IN BUNKERS FOR FOUR DAYS

New York, Oct. 16.—The Royal Dutch West India mail steamer *Jan Van Naasau*, Captain Van Derest, which arrived to-day from the West Indies, reported that on the outward passage from Amsterdam on October 4, between the Channel and the Azores, fire broke out in the coal bunkers, spreading to the cargo in the forehold and raged for four days until the vessel reached St. Michaels, where the flames were controlled.

SEA TAKES DECKLOAD.

San Francisco, Oct. 16.—Struck by a heavy sea off the Columbia river the steamer *Northland* of the coasting fleet, lost 50,000 feet of her deckload of lumber on October 12. The vessel had passed out of the river from Astoria when a heavy sea struck her on the port side and carried away many feet of her lumber cargo. No other damage was sustained. The *Northland* put into San Francisco for fuel yesterday and continued her trip to southern California ports in the afternoon.

FIRE AT SHANGHAI.

London, Oct. 16.—A Central News dispatch from Shanghai says a great fire has been raging for five hours to-day in a northern suburb of the city, half a square mile of which has been destroyed. Ten thousand people have been rendered homeless. The fire is now under control.

BONILLA LEAVES MEXICO.

Vera Cruz, Mex., Oct. 16.—Manuel Bonilla, who was minister of communications in the late President Madero's cabinet, sailed from here to-day on board the Hamburg-American liner *Kron Prinzessin Cecilie* in disguise. Fearing arrest, he has fled from Mexico.

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WIRELESS REPORTS

October 16, 8 a. m.

Point Grey.—Clear; calm; 30.35; 38. 10 miles; 30.30; 40; sea smooth. Out, 6.30 a. m.; S. S. Col. E. L. Drake, with cargo; 55; S. S. Umatilla 3.15 a. m.

Pachena.—Cloudy; calm; 30.00; 46; sea smooth.

Estevan.—Clear; calm; 30.10; 42; sea smooth. Spoke, 9 p. m., S. S. *Panama Maru*, 8 p. m., position 50.49 N. 123.04 W.; 3.05 a. m., S. S. *Tacoma Maru*, 8 p. m., position 50.04 N. 131.35 W.; 2 a. m., S. S. *Canada Maru*, 8 p. m., position 50.45 N. 150.37 W.

Triangle.—Cloudy; calm; 30.30; 40; sea moderate.

Ikeda.—Overcast; S. E.; 29.88; 40; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert.—Raining; S. E.; 30.04; 42. Out, 5.30 a. m., S. S. *Venture*; southbound.

Dead Tree Point.—Raining; S. E.; strong; 30.55; 42; sea moderate.

Alert Bay.—Clear; calm; 30.14; 47; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey.—Cloudy; calm; 30.30; 47; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo.—Cloudy; calm; 30.30; 47; sea smooth.

Tatoosh.—Part cloudy; E. 15 miles; 30.31; 50; sea smooth. In, 9.20 a. m., schooner *Gamble* towing.

Pachena.—Cloudy; S. E.; 30.06; 49; Spoke, S. S. *Tees* ahead, 11.15 a. m.; northbound.

Estevan.—Clear; calm; 30.12; 49; sea smooth.

Triangle.—Overcast; calm; S. E.; 30.20; 46; sea smooth.

Ikeda.—Cloudy; calm; 29.89; 45; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert.—Raining; E.; 29.96; 45. Out, 8.20 a. m., S. S. *Marine George*.

Dead Tree Point.—Raining; E.; 30.04; 44; sea smooth.

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SEATTLE WHALERS HOME

Seattle, Oct. 16.—Rough weather, which interfered materially with their cruising and consequently reduced the size of their catch, was encountered by the steam whalers *Star II* and *Star III* during their summer's operations off Baranof Island, Southeastern Alaska. The two vessels have reached Eagle Harbor from the North and yesterday nearly \$30,000 was paid to the whalers.

"It was only a fair season, not so many whales, but the average size is a bit better," the members of the crews said.

The log of the *Star III* tells of a desperate battle of several hours with a great sperm whale, on June 4, while twenty miles southwest of Port Armstrong. The big mammal, when hit by the harpoon gun, made a dash under the vessel striking the forward part near the keel and causing her to tremble from stem to stern. After considerable difficulty the big fellow was dispatched and floated alongside the steamer.

CAMOSUN REPLACES VENTURE.

The Union steamer *Camosun* arrived in port this morning from Bella Coola. She is replacing the *Venture* in the service. She is a day late.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS.			
Steamer.	Master.	Tonnage.	Due.
Crown of Arragon	Herschel	3,503	Nov. 15
Buena Ventura	Rustum	3,503	Nov. 15
Den of Clams	.....	3,284	Oct. 24
Den of Airle	Garrucha	3,756	Oct. 25
Empress of Asia	Robinson	3,524	Oct. 25
Glenroy	.....	3,284	Oct. 25
Ition	Reipenhausen	3,141	Oct. 25
Makura	Phillips	4,751	Oct. 25
Malaspina	Italy	3,503	Oct. 25
Maras	Rolls	3,503	Oct. 25
Musicalian	Dunn	3,047	Oct. 25
Meriontheire	.....	3,323	Oct. 25
Niagara	Morley	1,982	Oct. 25
Panama Maru	Kanok	3,524	Oct. 25
Sado Maru	Asakawa	3,284	Oct. 25
Sado Maru	Balto	3,283	Oct. 25
Strathairn	Yidd	2,753	Oct. 25
Titan	Evans	5,099	Oct. 25
Tyros	.....	3,503	Oct. 25
Yokohama Maru	Wada	4,000	Oct. 25

COASTING VESSELS.			
From Northern Ports.			
Prince George	G.T.P.	Stewart	Oct. 19
Princess Sophie	C.P.R.	Skagway	Oct. 21
Venture	U.S.S. Co.	Bella Coola	Oct. 22
Prince Rupert	G.T.P.	Granby Bay	Oct. 22
Prince John	G.T.P.	Q. Charlottes	Oct. 22
For Northern Ports.			
Princess May	C.P.R.	Skagway	Oct. 27
Princess George	G.T.P.	Stewart	Oct. 27
Venture	U.S.S. Co.	Bella Coola	Oct. 28
Prince John	G.T.P.	Q. Charlottes	Oct. 28
Prince Rupert	G.T.P.	Granby Bay	Oct. 28
For West Coast.			
Tees	C.P.R.	Holberg	Oct. 20
Tees	C.P.R.	Clayquot	Oct. 19
From San Francisco.			
City of Puebla	Pacific Coast	.....	Oct. 16
Umatilla	Pacific Coast	.....	Oct. 20
City of Puebla	Pacific Coast	.....	Oct. 22
Umatilla	Pacific Coast	.....	Oct. 22

DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES.			
Awa Maru	G.N.	Hongkong	Oct. 21
Empress of India	C.P.R.	H'g'g's	Oct. 22
Makura	C.P.R.	Australia	Oct. 22
Antiochus	Dodwell Co.	Liverpool	Oct. 24
Sado Maru	G.N.	Hongkong	Nov. 4
Empress of Russia	C.P.R.	H'g'g's	Nov. 5
Panama Maru	R. P. Rithet	H'g'g's	Oct. 25
Niagara	C.P.R.	Australia	Nov. 25

SAILERS COMING.			
Battle Abbey	British barque	Newcastle	N. S. W.
Inca	American schooner	from Newcastle	N. S. W.
Alliance	Peruvian barque	Iquique	.....
San Turi	American barquentine	Newcastle	N. S. W. Sailed Sept. 15

MEET AGAIN TO-MORROW

City Council Has Been Summoned For Third Time This Week to Clear Up Special Business.

On account of the large amount of business which has been allowed to drift during the waterworks debate, the city council has been called to meet to-morrow evening.

The most important subject, apart from the waterworks, which is in thought, must wait till the next report from the water commissioner is in, is the northwest sewer proposition. Since the last conference it is known that the Saanich council will fall in with the proposal, and the submission of the necessary by-law is the only step which must be taken to secure the final approval to the scheme. The city desires a start to be made so that the funds which are at present available may be used for the purposes which they were voted, as well as to provide a very necessary improvement.

Another subject is the report on the alien labor question in connection with the waterworks, which may be dealt with now that the water commissioner has spoken emphatically on the future of that class of labor on the waterworks. The report of the special committee makes a number of recommendations as to the future conduct of public works in the district. The presentment of the grand jury on the city lock-up has not yet been

read, and there are numerous matters of routine which need to be taken up in the near future, some of which should be cleared up at this meeting.

HINDUS ARE DISSATISFIED

Want Clearer Definition of Law on Entry of Families—The Cremation Question.

Having numerous matters of considerable interest to discuss relative to the future of the Hindu colony in British Columbia, the local Hindus intend to hold a meeting at the Sikh temple on Sunday.

Principal among the subjects on the programme is consideration of "what steps should be taken to prosecute the agitation to secure the free entry of wives and children of members of the race already here and to secure from official quarters recognition of a guiding principle so that the men shall not be subject to the vagaries of departmental administration of individual cases."

The Hindus express dissatisfaction with the attitude of the Minister of the Interior on the subject, and declare they want more specific guarantees extended for the future.

There is a deputation of Hindus touring in India from Canada now, telling to their fellow countrymen the treatment of the men and it is expected some report from them will be forthcoming at an early date.

The local Hindus also say they desire to join with their countrymen in Vancouver in protest against the deportation of the 12 Hindus from Seattle who are threatened with that course by the United States authorities. They may be deported to Manila in the Philippines unless the Hindus already settled in America can secure redress. The Vancouver Hindus have already held a meeting on the subject.

Another subject which will engage the attention of the meeting will be the question of cremation. The Vancouver city council has given the Hindus a site in the cemetery, and the local Hindus think a similar course ought to be adopted here.

"THE RAINBOW"

Domitian play-goers are proud of the fact that while Henry Miller was born in England, he spent his youth in Toronto and is to all purposes a Canadian. When Mr. Miller is seen tonight at the Victoria theatre in his latest success "The Rainbow," he will be warmly welcomed as a native son. Henry Miller is a player whom Canada has good reason to be proud of. Since the time when he first became a member of the famous A. M. Palmer and Augustin Daly's stock companies in New York, his career has been a succession of notable accomplishments. "Heartsease" gave him his title to

stardom, and since then each season has seen his name as star in plays of unusual distinction. "The Great Divide," "The Servant in the House," "The Harem," and now "The Rainbow" form a quartette of big, virile plays. When he produced "The Rainbow" at the Liberty Theatre in New York it ran through a season.

A PRETTY EVENT.

Miss Mabel Burnett and Mr. Ivan G. Mitchell United in Matrimony by Rev. J. G. Inkster.

Rev. J. G. Inkster was the officiating minister at the marriage of Mabel, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Burnett, formerly of Winnipeg, and Ivan G. Mitchell, also of Winnipeg, which took place on Tuesday at the residence of the bride's parents, 1256 Fairfield road. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a beautiful dress of white duchesse satin trimmed with shadow lace and pearl ornaments. Her veil of white tulle was looped up with orange blossoms, a wreath of the same encircling her hair, and her bouquet being composed of the same traditional flower. As her only ornament she wore a necklace of aquamarines.

Miss M. Van Sickle made a pretty bridesmaid in a frock of pale pink silk with beaded trimmings, and a hat to match, her bouquet being of pink carnations. Mrs. Burnett, the bride's mother, wore a charming shade of brown duchesse satin trimmed with real lace.

Mr. Gaston acted as best man, and Mr. G. Ouard presided at the piano and played the wedding march. The virginal reception rooms at the home of the bride's parents were beautifully decorated with flowers for the occasion, the bell, under which the bride and bridegroom stood during the ceremony, being of white carnations, while the diningroom was lavishly decorated with pink roses and carnations.

After the ceremony, which was attended by about forty of the friends and relatives of the happy pair, a reception was held, among those who wished the newly-wedded couple joy being Mrs. Burnett, Mrs. Vowell, and Mrs. G. Murray, all of Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mitchell were the recipients of numerous handsome gifts. The groom's gifts were: To the bride, aquamarine pendant; to the bride's maid, signet ring; to the groomsmen, cigarette case with monogram.

SURVEYORS' EXAMINATIONS

Nineteen Pass Final Qualifying Test and Nine Are Successful in Preliminary.

The following candidates have passed the final examination for British Columbia Land Surveyors, which was held at the Alexandra Club rooms last week: A. E. Baker, W. T. M. Barrett, H. Earle, W. T. House, L. A. Austen Leigh, A. W. McKnight, H. F. Butler, G. C. Tasse, F. C. Underhill, M. Brotherton, J. F. Campbell, K. B.

Fraser, C. M. Hoar, F. M. Monckton, J. M. Rolston, W. E. Rimmer, J. T. Underhill, J. Von, Edeskuty, R. H. Winslow.

The preliminary examination was held at the same time and the following candidates passed: G. P. Allan, D. A. G. Dunn, J. L. Norris, S. Simpson, R. A. Dodson, H. N. Hume, F. T. Peters, Ian D. Todd, J. W. Youla.

CONSIDERED A PRANK

Young Englishman Walks Off With a Bicycle From Outside the Y. M. C. A.

One of the three charges down on the police court charge sheet this morning was that in which J. Potters was named as the defendant on a charge of stealing a bicycle of the value of \$30, the property of W. H. Parsons.

City Prosecutor Harrison informed the court that the owner of the wheel desired to withdraw the charge, as he was satisfied that the taking of the bicycle was rather a drunken prank than anything else. The facts were that the defendant, in a somewhat exhilarated mood as the result of his potations, was proceeding past the Y. M. C. A. building with two friends when he saw the wheel outside the building and evidently thought it would be a good joke, according to his story, to

take it. The prosecutor said there was little doubt that he had come very close to stealing as defined in the Canadian code, though the English code would not so consider it, but it was clearly the prank of an intoxicated man.

Magistrate Jay considered, after hearing the explanation of the prosecutor, that it was a case where he might properly allow the case to be withdrawn, but he reminded the defendant that he was too big to be acting like a boy.

Potters admitted that he took the wheel as a practical joke. After Mr. Parsons discovered his loss he reported the matter to the police and Constable Bishop was put on the case. The officer stated he had found the wheel outside a saloon and that inside he had found the defendant. The latter thought the constable rather "fresh" to make the arrest for such a cause.

Spain has more sunshine than any country in Europe. The yearly average is 3,000 hours. In England it is 1,600.

SAANICH MUNICIPALITY POUND SALE.

I shall sell by public auction at the Pound, Glanford avenue, on the 21st inst., at eleven o'clock, one bay mare with white star on forehead and three white fetlocks, if not redeemed before.

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That's the situation in a nut shell of Victoria's Largest Men's Outfitters desperate plight. The Hub forced to throw overboard its entire cargo to the people to whatever it brings, not willingly, but forceably in order to weather the money stringency gale. J. P. McCulley is now in charge for the benefit of creditors to realize money to meet all outstanding indebtedness now past due and about to become due. My orders are get the money no matter how great the loss. Well watch me do it, beginning to-morrow

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SPORTING NEWS

AMATEUR BOXING SEASON OPENS MONDAY; INTERNATIONAL BOUTS WILL BE STAGED

Al. Davies, Local Star Bantam, Will Figure in Headliner; Winners Qualify for Coast Championships

The boxing season proper is set to open in Victoria on Monday evening at the Victoria theatre, when W. H. Davies has arranged an excellent series of bouts between milt artists and wrestlers, which by reason of the fact that there are several Seattle entries may be looked upon in the nature of an international tourney.

The headliner for the occasion is a bout at 115 pounds, in which Al Davies, the Pacific coast bantam champion, will battle with W. Baird, of the Seattle A. C. According to reports from the other side this boy Baird is some scrapper, and has disposed in handy fashion of some of the most promising bantams in the Sound city. The bout Monday promises to be one of the hardest the local scrapper has ever engaged in in the course of his striking career in the squared circle. However, local fans are confident that their favorite, who has only been defeated once when he lost a decision early on, will come out on top in Monday's bout.

Apart from the headliner there are other bouts which ought to please devotees of the squared circle. Charlie McMichael of the J. B. A. (B. C. champion) will meet A. Pinkham, of Seattle, while that aggressive little scrapper Donald McKay, will try conclusions with Buster O'Neill, Oliver Runchey, of Seattle, who is Pacific coast champion at both 125 and 135 pounds will meet either M. McLehlan or C. Richardson of the J. B. A. A. while E. Scott and J. McCroney will each box entries from the Commercial

Club, of Vancouver. Other bouts will be staged between local boys. The chief wrestling tussle is billed between Jack Middleton and C. Wrey, of the Seattle A. C. at 145 pounds, while a similar bout will take place between Jack Shultz, of the J. B. A. A. and William McDonald.

The bouts start at the Victoria theatre at 8.30 p. m. on Thanksgiving Day. The judges are William Hall and Barney McClave. Scotty McKay will officiate as referee. Timekeeper, Louie Oliver; Announcer, William Radke.

The J. B. A. A. representatives who show championship form at the contests will be eligible to compete at the Pacific coast championships, which will be held at Portland on November 13 and 14, where representatives from Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco, Oakland and all Northwestern cities will compete for the championships.

Programme.
Main event—115 lbs. boxing.—Al. Davies, J. B. A. A. Pacific coast bantam champion vs. W. Baird, Seattle A. C.
125 lbs.—Charlie McMichael, J. B. A. A. B. C. champion vs. A. Pinkham, Seattle, A. C.
135 lbs.—Donald McKay, J. B. A. A. B. C. champion vs. Buster O'Neill, Seattle A. C.

Wrestling, 135 lbs.—M. McLehlan or C. Richardson, J. B. A. A. vs. Oliver Runchey, Seattle A. C., Pacific coast champion.
Wrestling, 145 lbs.—Jack Middleton, J. B. A. A. vs. C. Wrey, Seattle, A. C.
Boxing, 175 lbs.—B. Scott, J. B. A. A. vs. Commercial Club of Vancouver, B. C. entry.

Boxing, 145 lbs.—J. McCroney, J. B. A. A. vs. Commercial Club of Vancouver B. C. entry.
Boxing, 125 lbs.—Scott Cropper, J. B. A. A. vs. H. Bucknam, J. B. A. A.
Wrestling, 145 lbs.—Jack Shultz, J. B. A. A. vs. Wm. McDonald, J. B. A. A.

ESQUIMALT SAILING CLUB INAUGURATED

A new club for the promotion of all aquatic sports has been inaugurated in Esquimalt. The actual formation took place at a dinner held in the suburb on Tuesday. The club will be called the Esquimalt Sailing Club, and is intended to promote all water sports as sailing, rowing and motor boating. The following were appointed the officials: Commodore, J. Cramer; vice commodore, V. J. Dunn; secretary and treasurer, G. W. Silvester.

WELSH PICK TEAM.

The Welsh Rugby football team for Thanksgiving Day's Barnard cup match was picked last night as follows: Full-back, S. E. Davis; three-quarters, Joe Hinds, Fred Hill, Stanley Honeychurch, Sid Thomas; halves, Sid Hendra, Jim Bailey; forwards, Harry Watkins (capt.), Nick Tregurtha, H. Loomis, D. Gray, D. Miller, T. Atkins, H. Boyd, J. Montague; reserves, J. Verity, Albert Griffiths, J. Clemo, Pabbin and Goldsworthy.

The forwards will meet for practice at the Victoria hotel at 8 o'clock Friday night, and the backs at the Victoria hotel at 2.30 Saturday afternoon.



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SATURDAY SOCCER WILL BE INTERESTING

Wards and Thistles Link Up, and Sons of England Meet J. B. A. A.

Several good soccer games will be played this Saturday if the weather conditions are favorable. Probably the two best games to witness will be the Ward-Thistle match and the Sons of England-J. B. A. A. game, while the other contests between the Wests and the Rangers should result in an easy victory for the former, although the Rangers may furnish a surprise. Several of the Thistle and Ranger players abandoned their games last week-end to witness the West-Ward match, the result being that their teams were beaten. James Bay have a narrow lead, and have yet to meet with a reverse, while both the Wards and the Wests have not yet been defeated.

In the intermediate league the Navy are a very strong organization as shown by the battle they put up against the Wards last Saturday. The teams fought hard, and it was more by luck than anything else that the Wards tallied the only goal of the game. Victoria West, Empress and Empires have strong defenses; the latter two have not been defeated to date, while the former club was unfortunate enough to meet with a reverse the evening day at the hands of the Wards, they being greatly handicapped owing to several players failing to put in an appearance.

BARRIEAU UP AGAINST PRETTY STIFF PROBLEM

Frank Barrieau, the Vancouver boxer who jumped right into the spotlight by his display against the dentist boxer, Leach Cross, is evidently going to have some trouble in making the lightweight limit. Though he is boxing hard at the present time with his sparring partner, his weight keeps up above the 135-pound mark, which is three pounds above what Champion Ritchie has set as the lightweight limit.

It is well known at the present time there is a small fortune waiting any man who can prove himself to be a really classy lightweight, while there is no great amount of coin in sight for a welterweight, no matter how good he may be.

Barrieau has two alternatives facing him. Either he can easily remain and perhaps shine in the welterweight division, or he can pull himself down to 135 pounds and probably weaken himself considerably in the process, so that he cannot display his true form.

On the face of it, it looks as if Barrieau is up against a pretty hard problem. However, he is working hard to get in training for his bout with Charlie Burns, the San Francisco boxer who has undertaken to put a period to Barrieau's cyclonic career on Thanksgiving Day. Barrieau is working out with Cyclone Scott and Martin Murphy, and he is showing more speed and hitting power than ever before.

S. O. E. TEAM SATURDAY.

The Sons of England selection committee met last evening to pick their team for the game with the J. B. A. A. on Saturday. The line-up will be: Goal, Munday; backs, Hymers, Marshall; halves, Martin, Blundell, Beach; forwards, F. Kerley, Sharok, Wells, A. Kerley, Douglas.

The match will be played on the J. B. A. A. ground at Oak Bay. By the fixture list the match is scheduled to take place at the home ground of the Sons of England club, but owing to the fact that the second fixture clashes with the visit of the All-Blacks, and the J. B. A. A. ground will be used by the Victoria Rugby Club on that occasion, it has been decided to reverse the venues. Saturday's game will therefore be played off at Oak Bay.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Canada Should Begin to Prepare for Olympiad.

The year 1916 and the city of Berlin both look a mighty long way off and so the average sporting Canadian is apt to ignore the fact that the next olympiad that is to take place at that time and place should be occupying some portion of his consideration. At the last games at Stockholm, Canada sent her representatives, who considering the fact that they were meeting the world's best for the first time, showed up remarkably well. All Canadians, however, will hope that the Canadian colors will be seen more prominently among winners on the next occasion and it is to that end that united and earnest efforts should be made. For competitions of that kind, long and arduous training must necessarily be undergone. And still previous to the training there must be most careful sifting of all the sport resources that we have at hand. Other countries are already doing this sifting, and have for months past worked on the preliminaries of preparation. It is now up to Canada to do likewise and get busy among her best athletes, so that by the time for the next olympiad arrives, the Dominion will be found in a position to furnish such athletes as will bring her colors to the very forefront of the games.

Skating Season Opens in Victoria To-morrow.

Ice skating begins to-morrow. There is probably no sport which is so truly Canadian, or at which the average Canuck is so adept. The desire and aptitude for skating are born in him just as truly as the love of baseball is implanted in the heart of young America. In eastern Canada, where the winters are much more severe than in Victoria there is abundance of natural ice to be found and skating can be indulged in for several months of the year. So far as possible, however, the Arena, which opens for skating to-morrow gives the skater all the advantages of out-of-door skating to which is added the smoother ice made under artificial processes. Nowhere in the world has skating such universal exposition as in Canada.

FOOTBALL FIXTURES FOR SATURDAY NEXT

Senior Games.
James Bay vs. Rangers.
North Ward vs. Thistles.
Victoria West vs. Sons of England.
Intermediate Games.
North Ward vs. Men's Owa.
Victoria West vs. Empress.
Empress vs. Navy.
Rugby.
Wanderers vs. Fifth Regiment.

WHO HAS BEST RIGHT TO MIDDLEWEIGHT TITLE?

The defeat of Frank Klaus at the hands of George Chip the other night eliminates another contender for the middleweight championship. Jimmy Clabby, the Indiana 150-pounder, has the best right to the title following the defeat of Mike Gibbons, Sailor Petrovsky and Eddie McGearty. Also Buck Crouse has a right to battle for honors, having scored a knock-out victory over George Chip, the man who disposed of Klaus. Jack Dillon claims the title, but he has been defeated twice by McGearty and once losing a 20-round decision to Frank Klaus. Billy Pape was easily defeated by Klaus last year in France and seems to have retired.

San Francisco fight enthusiasts who saw Clabby pummeled Petrovsky about the ring for 20 rounds, say he is the greatest fighting machine who has invaded California for several years. In his battle with the sailor, Clabby had him groggy several times during the bout, but as he had piled up a long lead on points he decided to fight carefully and was satisfied with a decision on points.

Bob Moha, another contender, has outgrown the middleweight class and will fight the heavyweights from now on. Leo Houck, although defeated by Dillon and Moha, still claims the title left by Ketchell. A score of other less notable middies are claiming the championship.

ENGLISHMAN WON FRENCH CHAMPIONSHIP

Chantilly, France, Oct. 16.—George Duncan, the English professional, won the French open golf championship with an aggregate of 24 strokes for the four rounds on the eighteen-hole course. James Braid, of England, who has held both the British and the French open championships, was second with 267. H. Sherlock, also of England, finished third with 309. Arnaud Masey, the former French champion, finished with 310, and Dr. H. D. Gillies, a London amateur, scored 311.

WORLD SERIES WINNERS TO BE BANQUETTED

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 16.—In compliance with a suggestion made by Mayor Hinkley, the members of the world's champion Athletics will be tendered a dinner here on October 23 as guests of the city. The mayor, who takes great interest in baseball, had Director of Public Safety Porter take the matter of the dinner up yesterday with the officials, who assured him that the players would be communicated with. They told the director there was little doubt that every one of the twenty-five players who took part in or was eligible to join in the world's series games would be present.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TOUR.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—From the time they leave Chicago Sunday night on their tour of the world until they sail for Japan from Vancouver, B. C., on November 13, the New York Giants and the Chicago White Sox will spend thirty nights in a sleeper on their special train.

Arrangements were completed here yesterday for an all-steel train to carry the players to the coast. Three sleeping cars, an observation car and a combination baggage and buffet car will comprise the special.

FAVORS PRESENT FORM.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—B. B. Johnson, president of the American League and member of the national baseball commission, favors the retention of the world's series games each fall in their present form. He made this announcement yesterday upon his return from the east.

LAST APPEARANCE OF GREATEST BULL-FIGHTER

Madrid, Oct. 16.—The popularity of even the world's baseball championship in America or the annual football finals in England, is eclipsed here by a bull-fighting spectacle which is being arranged for next Sunday. The occasion is the farewell appearance in the arena of Bombita, the famous bull-fighter, who is engaged to marry an Englishwoman. Prices for seats have reached \$30 per seat, about \$25, which is a figure unprecedented in the history of bull-fighting.

HOLDS ANNUAL DINNER.

On Friday evening the Beacon Hill Lawn Bowling Club will hold its fifth annual dinner at the Balmoral cafe. President J. A. Turner will be in the chair, and it is expected that there will be a large attendance of bowlers. The dinner will commence at 8.15.

BRITISH GOLFERS WIN.

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KILBANE MATCHED.

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VICTORIA SHOOTERS HAVE GREAT RECORD

Canadian Rifle League Returns
Show That Local Riflemen
Did Excellently

This has been an exceedingly successful year for Victoria rifle shooters. Now that the season is practically over it is good to look back and see what has been done in the National competitions by individuals and teams representing this city.

In the returns just published by the Canadian Rifle League, under whose auspices these competitions have been held, there is an interesting page devoted to the form displayed by city corps. This includes practically every city in Canada, no fewer than forty teams being entered. In this competition, Victoria and Vancouver both made an excellent showing, the Terminal City running second in a total of four matches with an aggregate of 3,507 points, while the Capitals scored 3,544 points to capture seventh place on the list. This competition was decided in four matches, the Calgary team taking first place in the series.

In the second series of the Canadian championships, that set apart for mounted and rural corps, with ships of H. M. Canadian Navy, the Esquimalt Garrison R. A. came twelfth with a total of 3,433 points. Among civilian rifle teams the Victoria aggregation showed up splendidly, coming in eighth out of the 29 teams entered. The Vancouver civilians obtained sixth place with just a very few points more than the Victoria shooters. Several prizes and marksmen's certificates were obtained by members of the local organization.

In the University school cadet corps, Victoria has an association equal to the best in the Dominion. In the annual competition for cadets the University first team won third prize and obtained thirteen first-class certificates, six second-class and nineteen third-class. They were defeated only by the Ottawa College Institute and the combined public schools of Calgary; the second team came ninth in their division.

A Victoria cadet, Company-Leader M. Wallis, of the University school, came within an ace of winning the honor of champion of section 1. He tied scores with the actual winner, Lance-Corporal Anderson, of Ottawa, both scoring 256 points and each having an average of 64. The Ottawa boy, however, scored more at the 500 yards range and was therefore adjudged winner. Wallis also came third in the competition for the president's badge.

SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY

Packey McFarland is scheduled to box Tommy Murphy 10 rounds to-morrow night in New York.

Billy Pape had better retire. A few nights ago he was easily outpointed by an amateur making his debut in the professional ranks. This youngster, whose name is Marty Roman, outboxed the veteran throughout the entire eight rounds.

Ad Wolgast, former lightweight champion, and Charley White, the Chicago lightweight, have signed up to box 10 rounds in Milwaukee on October 24.

Frank Klaus and George Chip have signed for a return match to take place within the next two months. Chip recently knocked Klaus in the sixth round of a six-round bout.

Jack Dillon, the clever Indianapolis middleweight, easily disposed of Walter Monaghan, of Canton, last night in the fourth round of a scheduled twelve-round battle. Monaghan's seconds tossed the sponge into the ring.

Charles Calvin, formerly of Los Angeles, yesterday cabled Willie Ritchie that he stood ready to offer a \$20,000 purse for a twenty-round bout between the champion and Freddie Welsh.

Jack Johnson now weighs 250 pounds and is no longer a vaudeville attraction in France. He has grown too fat altogether.

Calvin has also offered Gunboat Smith \$10,000 to engage in two fights in Paris with Bombardier Wells and Georges Carpentier.

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"TOUCHING" THE "SPEAKER"

M. Paul Dechanel, president of the chamber, has a strange hobby, the collecting of begging letters, says our Paris correspondent. Whilst others treasure trouser-buttons, old pictures, post-cards, stamps, butterflies, snuff-boxes, the talented Speaker of the French Lower House finds a quiet joy in the epistolary efforts of his fellow men to extract money from his pocket. Sometimes these contributions are really original. The last misdeed of the sort began: "Monsieur le Deputé—Living, as I do, in the Rue Emile Dechanel, I feel myself entitled to solicit your help. . . . In answer to this delicious epistle, M. Dechanel sent a lous; but he is afraid that the other inhabitants of the street named after his father, may hear of it.

San Francisco, Oct. 16.—Maurice E. McLoughlin, William Johnstone, John Strachan, Lawrence Griffin and other tennis stars will participate in a tournament to be held under the auspices of the Pacific States Lawn Tennis Association, during the Portola Carnival next week.

Wrestling championship bouts also will be staged in connection with the celebration. San Francisco athletes and teams from Los Angeles and northwest cities will compete.

KING AT NEWMARKET.

London, Oct. 16.—Following the wedding of Prince Arthur of Connaught and the Duchess of Fife, King George and Queen Mary visited Clarence House and took leave of their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, prior to their departure for Canada. King George left for Newmarket to-day.

ENGLISH SOCCER GAME.

London, Oct. 16.—In a scheduled southern league football game played yesterday Reading disposed of Southampton, 2-0. The game was played at the former's ground by the score of two goals to nil.

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MAYOR PLEADS FOR COUNCIL TO ACT

Trade and Labor Council Sends
Deputation to Support
Day Labor

Another three hours was spent last evening by the city council in a fruitless effort to reach a settlement on the concrete flow line pipe contract, and when it appeared fairly assured that a settlement would be reached, an amendment to the mayor's amendment of Monday, which would have let the contract subject to certain restrictions, was carried by a majority vote.

As an outcome of last night's amendment the understanding is that the water commissioner shall further satisfy himself of the capacity of the Graft Construction Company to lay concrete pipe, as he was not ready last night to give an offhand opinion that he recommended that company.

The original resolution to do the work by day labor, which stands in the name of Alderman Cuthbert, was almost lost sight of in the ramifications of the debate, but it is regarded as practically assured of rejection in view of the emphatic objection taken by the water commissioner himself against the city embarking in the undertaking. He pointed out, as the representative of the city and of the Westholme Lumber Company, and answerable to the court for the proper and economical completion of the work, that it would be injudicious to jeopardize the interests of the city by carrying out the work by day labor.

An interlude in the proceedings was afforded by the appearance in a body of the Trades and Labor Council, which had adjourned from the Labor hall in order to voice the cause of unionism in favor of day labor on city contracts.

Alderman McNeill made a vain attempt at a late hour to secure a private session before the next public meeting, but no decision was reached on the subject, the mayor observing that after the events of the evening he had heard certain aldermen loud in their condemnation of secret meetings.

Alderman McNeill believed, however, that there should be a private meeting on the riveted steel pipe contract before any decision was reached.

Overrules Objection.
At the outset there was considerable discussion because the mayor refused to consider Alderman Cuthbert's project for a commission to settle the Westholme Lumber Company's suit any further, stating that it had been disposed of already. The incident closed with the formal notice of objection of the alderman to the decision of the mayor.

Alderman Humber wanted to know how, after the experience of the last ten days, any alderman could desire to award the contracts to American tenderers. As a proof of what day labor could do, he pointed out that large quantities of concrete were being laid daily at the dam, and a railway was being built at the present time. He claimed also that the council should not let any contracts till Mr. Meredith returned to the city. The city must endeavor to find work for the unemployed, he declared, and this was a serious question which the council must face. They were not paying enough for workmen at Sooke as it was, and yet men were glad enough to get it. The foreman on the Douglas street work had said it almost made him weep to see the number of men to whom he had to refuse work, he said. The alderman concluded by demanding further guarantees that the pipe would not be made in Seattle.

Mr. Rust said this was impossible at the price they proposed to pay for the concrete pipe.

Alderman Humber insisted on the council having the words "manufactured on Vancouver Island" inserted in the contract. He said it was necessary for the aldermen who opposed the contract to be careful as they had already saved the city \$21,000 on the contract. The mayor and the aldermen should be true to their platform promises, and vote now for day labor on the water works. He finished his observations by declaring that the mayor would have to provide soup kitchens for the people before his term of office ended. A voice in the audience: "That's right." The mayor called the spectator to order.

Allen Labor.
When the mayor cut down the clerical staff at the city hall why did not the mayor insist, continued Alderman Humber, why did he not dismiss the Yankee engineers at Sooke and find jobs for men who were walking the streets begging for work?

Alderman Cuthbert likened the mayor's conduct in the chair on Monday to that of the celebrated character of Dickens, the Artful Dodger. The Graft Construction Company had had as dirty a deal as ever put up to any corporation applying for a contract, he declared. He next got into hot water with Alderman Gleason by saying that "he was always regarded as the mouthpiece of the mayor."

Alderman Gleason: "You ought to be careful."

Alderman Cuthbert disregarded the interruption, and continued that the Graft company's communications had not been read to the council, and had been suppressed.

Assistant Clerk Bradley read a telegram from C. F. Graft, president of the

company, dated October 8, indicating willingness to carry out the contract and pointing out that the company was second lowest tenderer for the original contract. It was not fair to say that the company had not shown its capacity to carry out the work according to specifications, the message declared.

Wanted To Talk.
Alderman Cuthbert declared that the mayor and others were anxious only to run the city's business in the way they liked.

The mayor was answering a question of privilege from Alderman Humber when an excited spectator jumped to his feet and wanted to ask a question. He was promptly ordered to sit down.

Mr. Bradley read further correspondence on the Graft Construction Company's work, including a copy of the bonds from the United States Fidelity Company. It appears a very large contract in Kansas City has recently been awarded to the company.

Alderman Cuthbert observed that if the mayor's original proposal of Monday week had been adopted the Graft Construction Company would have been howled out, and a company would have secured the contract at an advance of \$21,000, for which Mr. McDiarmid was the lobbyist. (Cries of "Oh.")

Alderman Cuthbert renewed his criticism of the mayor's proposals, particularly with regard to his attitude toward day labor, and declared he was humbugging the people.

The alderman charged certain of the aldermen with sitting there to assist the award of certain contracts to their friends.

Alderman Gleason asked for the remarks to be taken back, to which Alderman Cuthbert reluctantly agreed.

Double-Barreled Motion.

The latter alderman indicated that he would vote for the Graft Construction Company, but the mayor's amendment sought to give the contract to the Pacific Lock Joint Company. It was arranged that the Graft Construction Company, he alleged, should be prevented from qualifying for the contract. He hoped the council, however, would first vote on the day labor issue.

Alderman McNeill believed that the mayor was asking the council to approve of a contract of which the water commissioner did not approve. For his part he would attach no value to verbal reports in future, as the records should be on file. The speaker read extracts on the contracts from reports of the water commissioner, particularly deprecating the award of a contract to the Graft Construction Company. The alderman did not think the regulations with regard to local labor had been sufficiently safeguarded.

Alderman McNeill then moved an amendment to the mayor's amendment proposing that the water commissioner should formally approve in writing of the Graft Construction Company's tender, and also of the day labor question. The speaker also elaborated an argument on the capabilities of the Graft Construction Company.

Alderman Porter indicated that he would be guided entirely by the water commissioner's judgment. He had voted for the Pacific Lock Joint Company's tender at first, feeling that the Graft Construction Company had not yet satisfied the commissioner.

Alderman Dilworth declared the aldermen had not a straight issue to vote upon. The whole thing had been twisted and twisted from the beginning. There had been many changes since that time, until now no one knew what the specifications contained.

Alderman McCandless was willing to support the amendment to the amendment provided the contract could be settled on Friday.

Alderman Cuthbert said that the amendment to the amendment would relegate the issue of day labor to the water commissioner, which was wrong.

Alderman Fullerton believed that the commissioner had already expressed his opinion against day labor. He begged permission to introduce a deputation from the Trades and Labor Council on the subject.

Deputation Heard.

This application was granted, and President Roberts, of the B. C. Federation of Labor, voiced the opinion of the council. They spoke out strongly, he said, for day labor on the water works scheme. The evils which arose from contract labor were well known in Victoria. They desired to impress on the council the necessity and the justice of the application at the present time when the present depression was worse than at any time in the past 20 years. They had as workingmen to realize what it meant, with the high prices prevalent after the boom of a few months ago.

T. H. Norris, secretary of the Trades and Labor Council, said they represented from 3,000 to 4,000 members, but they were there to speak for all the workmen of Victoria, union or otherwise. There was no doubt that the contractors looked for a profit, and why should not the city have that profit?

Mr. Staples secured an opportunity to read a letter on the contract, which was received with some levity. His strictures on the aldermen, officials and generally on everybody led to a great deal of amusement and much waste of time.

Commissioner's Report.

The water commissioner's report was read next, strongly opposing the use of day labor. He pointed out that a plant for the manufacture of the steel pressure line would be required. The liquidator of the Westholme Company had refused an offer of \$9,000 for that concern's plant, and it would cost \$7,000 or \$8,000 to put it into shape. To construct the concrete pipe would cost \$10,000 to \$15,000 for forms alone. Thus about \$25,000 to \$30,000 would have to be expended for plant, for which, after use, the city could get very little. The engagement of a contractor would relieve the city of all responsibility. The contractors, Mr. Rust stated, had assured him they proposed to employ local labor as far as possible.

Ultimately the council divided. For the amendment to the amendment: Alderman Fullerton, Humber, Dilworth, McNeill and McCandless.

Against: Mayor Morley, Alderman Gleason, Meeson and Porter.

Alderman Cuthbert did not vote.

F. J. POPHAM TELLS ABOUT HIS MORTGAGE

Was Negotiated Day After He
Gave It to Cook, but Fact
Denied by Latter

The afternoon sitting of the assize court in the Bankers' Trust case yesterday was taken up mainly in the examination and partial cross-examination of Frederick J. Popham, who was the informant in the case of theft on which Cook is awaiting trial.

Albert F. Griffiths, chartered accountant, was the first witness of the afternoon. He identified the books of the Negotiators, Limited, which were put in on Tuesday. These, he said, had come into his possession in his official capacity, and had been taken away by officials of the company. From them Mr. Griffiths, in reply to Crown Prosecutor Robertson, gave the details of the appointment of several officers and the dates of their resignation.

Samuel Roberts, a chauffeur, said he had driven Skidmore, a Bankers' Trust stock salesman, and others of the company back and forth, and had fallen to the wiles of Skidmore to the extent of \$200 by cheque and \$700 in notes. To Mr. Alkman he said he had believed a good many rumors he heard about that time, but that he was not believing any now. He had been shown what purported to be a letter from Mr. Anderson, the Sidney banker, but he did not read it.

Frederick J. Popham stated he had first heard of the Bankers' Trust from Wescott, who had told him that his name had been mentioned as an investor, and that he had been asked by the manager of the company to interview him. He later saw Moore at Negotiators, Limited, office, who told him about dividends paid, people who were to become shareholders and so forth. Moore had informed him that the Titles Holding Company was to pay \$400 annually to Bankers' Trust shareholders for each one hundred shares held by them, payable semi-annually. If he were to take four hundred shares this would mean \$1,600 yearly to him. He had told Moore, he said, that he could not pay cash, but that if they could handle a mortgage he could manage it.

Moore had gone away to see some one, and coming back had brought him to Cook's office and introduced him. After some questions about the mortgage witness went for it, he stated, and when Cook saw it he said the company could handle it. Thereupon witness had taken four hundred shares, and made an assignment of the first mortgage for \$12,000, out of which \$4,000 was to be retained by the company as a first payment on the stock and \$8,000 to be returned to Mr. Popham.

At the last directors' meeting he had been asked, he said, to liquidate the mortgage had been liquidated, although whenever he had asked Cook about it, Cook had said it had not been liquidated as the money market was very dull. Cook had gone to the telephone once and carried on a conversation in low tone, returning to him with a reiterated denial, he declared.

"It is suggested," said Crown Prosecutor Robertson, "that the company was forced into liquidation by the directors to avoid liability on their shares?"

"It is not true," replied the witness.

Cross-examined by Mr. Powell, Mr. Popham said that the friend who had mentioned his name to Wescott was George Okeil. The mortgage he had given in payment for his stock had been liquidated the day after he gave it to Cook. Twice after January 30 he had asked Cook if it had yet been liquidated, and had got a negative answer. It was March 13 when he had learned from Allen about the liquidation having been effected.

During February, he testified, he was in the office, and saw Godfrey Booth, to whom he remarked that there did not seem to be any depositors in. Mr. Booth had replied that they did not want depositors at that time; that they were not taking deposits. He had told Mr. Booth that he was sorry to hear that as he was thinking of making a deposit of about \$5,000. Witness denied that Cook had ever asked him or suggested to him that he leave this sum on deposit with the Bankers' Trust. He assumed that the amount had gone to pay the running expenses of the company, for when Allen told him that Godfrey Booth had resigned and he remarked jokingly that he supposed Booth had drawn his salary, Allen had replied that that was where some of his \$5,990 had gone.

Mr. Popham's cross-examination had not been concluded when the court rose for the day.

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The Misses Smith, of Eburne, are at the James Bay hotel.

F. Graham, of Calgary, is staying at the James Bay hotel.

Miss L. Harrison, of Vancouver, is at the James Bay hotel.

James Wanser left by the Northern Pacific for Dallas, Texas.

O. E. Selzer, of Los Angeles, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

William F. Hobson, of Seattle, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

W. A. Dougan, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

A. W. Terrant, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress hotel.

W. J. Daly registered at the Empress hotel yesterday from Montreal.

H. Pritchard, of Armstrong, is registered at the James Bay hotel.

Mrs. Champion, 1219 Richardson street will receive on Friday.

W. S. Shaw, of Gabriola Island, has returned to the James Bay hotel.

Mrs. T. M. Ross, 1614 Hamilton street, will receive on Friday next.

E. A. Miltenberger is here from Vancouver, a guest at the Empress hotel.

H. V. Sharples is in the city from Vancouver, a guest at the Empress hotel.

J. B. Giffen is staying at the Empress hotel while in the city from Vancouver.

Max P. Fries, of San Francisco, registered at the Empress hotel this morning.

R. C. Smith is in the city from Vancouver, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

G. P. Ballantine is among those from Vancouver who are staying at the Empress hotel.

J. G. McDiarmid arrived in the city yesterday from Toronto, and went to the Empress hotel.

William W. McNeely, a prominent citizen of Medicine Hat, is staying at the Empress hotel.

F. Landsberg left yesterday by the Northern Pacific for a short trip to San Francisco, Cal.

Mrs. Wm. Grant, of Point Ellice, will be at home to-morrow and on the third Friday thereafter.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Nycock left yesterday by the Northern Pacific for their home in Cheyeden, Iowa.

D. N. McIntyre and F. H. Cunningham left by the North Coast Limited, on a short trip to Ottawa.

James Neill left yesterday by the Northern Pacific with a string of horses for El Paso, Texas.

J. H. Thomas, of San Francisco, registered at the Empress hotel last evening with Mrs. Thomas.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson and family, left yesterday by the Northern Pacific for their home at Brimow, Okla.

James R. H. Jacoby, of Seattle, who registered at the Empress hotel this morning, is in the city on business.

William McLeod, of Winnipeg, arrived in town from Winnipeg yesterday and registered at the Empress hotel.

Mr. H. and Mrs. Dr. Anna Stadthagen are leaving to-morrow for Long Beach, California, where they will spend the winter.

J. Stewart Moore and wife, of Duncan, together with H. Fry and S. D. Taylor, are guests at the Empress hotel for a few days.

Mrs. Edwin Tomlin, 1576 Hampshire road, will receive on Friday afternoon and thereafter on the first and third Friday of each month.

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Dr. Eric Perkins, who has been holidaying in New England, has returned to the city.

Judge and Mrs. Spinks, who spent the summer at "Sissinghurst," returned last Sunday to their home at Pasadena.

The following Victoria people recently registered at the office of the Canadian high commissioner, London: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilson and the Misses Wilson, H. Book and A. M. Roberts.

Captain C. H. Nicholson, manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific steamship, came over to Victoria last night to consult with his solicitors regarding some litigation. He is registered at the Empress hotel.

F. Landsberg left the city yesterday by the S. S. Iroquois, en route for Seattle, where he boarded the train for San Francisco to remain in that city for about ten days. He will then return to Victoria.

Madame Alda, who is to sing in the Victoria theatre Friday evening, arrived at the Empress hotel this morning with her secretary Miss Margaret Evans and her maid. She is accompanied also by Frank La Forge and Guita Casini, the other artists who are to take part in the concert.

Ald. C. R. Ward and Mrs. Ward, of Cranbrook, are in the city on their wedding tour. Mr. Ward was nominated by the Liberals of Cranbrook two weeks ago to contest the constituency in the next provincial election. He is one of the leading businessmen of Cranbrook and is well known throughout the district. Mr. and Mrs. Ward are at the Empress hotel.

There was a large gathering at the social and dance held at the "Bon Accord," Princess avenue, last evening to celebrate the home-coming of the hostess, Mrs. A. S. Christie, after three months' absence in the Old Country. A lengthy programme was gone through, the contributors to the musical part of the entertainment being the Misses Christie, Jaffray and Purritt, and Messrs. Anderson and Hoard.

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Forecasts

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fair, not much change in temperature.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.35; temperature, 55; minimum, 35; wind, calm; rain, .02; weather, part cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.32; temperature, 55; minimum, 35; wind, calm; rain, .02; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.34; temperature, 55; minimum, 35; wind, calm; rain, .02; weather, part cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, 54; minimum, 34; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, 50; minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, rain.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 55; minimum, 35; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.43; temperature, 54; minimum, 34; wind, 8 miles E.; weather, clear.

Victoria Daily Weather—Observations taken 5 a. m., noon, and 5 p. m., Wednesday: Temperature.

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J. Clifford-Wilkinson, of Kobe,
Friend of Dr. Sun, Loth to
Believe Charge

"It is very hard for me to believe that Dr. Sun Yat Sen is guilty of taking that money," declared J. Clifford-Wilkinson, who arrived from Kobe on the Empress of India yesterday. "I have known Dr. Sun for many years and have always held the highest respect for him. If he were a thief he could have taken much more than two million many years ago and on many occasions. My friend, Dr. Cantile, of Hongkong, whose pupil Dr. Sun was, has known him intimately for over 30 years and has always spoken of him most highly. I sincerely hope the report is not true."

Mr. Clifford-Wilkinson, who heard of Dr. Sun's arrest by wireless on the Empress, while at sea, is managing director of the Tamsan Mineral Water Company, of Kobe, whose water is a familiar beverage in Victoria and all along the Pacific coast. He has been for 35 years in Kobe and has seen the cost of living there increase from something like 70 or 80 yen a month to between 200 and 300 yen. In respect of the high cost of living, he says, Japan is in no way behind the western world.

His present visit to Canada is in the nature of a vacation following an injury received some months ago. While in the country, however, he intends going to San Francisco to obtain advertising space in the Panama-Pacific exhibition in 1915. The action of the British government in declining to be represented in no way affects him, he says.

Mr. Clifford-Wilkinson spoke conservatively in discussing the much mentioned Oriental question. His big business interests are such as to prevent him from expressing strong opinions. He appeared to believe, however, that the Japanese have not forgotten what they believe to be an affront in the California affair. President Wilson has an exceedingly delicate situation upon his hands, he says.

"The Japanese need an outlet," stated Mr. Clifford-Wilkinson, "and the Canadians and Americans are by no means in error when they suspect Japanese intention of obtaining political status on the American coast. The Japs also wish to get into China. Their attitude is very mysterious, but I think they are inclined to make a mountain out of a mole hill in dealing with China. Japan is losing business over the civil war in China, but she wants territory and there may be foundation for the stories that the Japs act as incendiaries in China sometimes."

Reasons for the increased cost of living in Japan were discussed by Mr. Clifford-Wilkinson. The war was the chief cause, he said, although the general increase all over the world had had its effect. Ever since the war, however, the country had been terribly poor and taxes had been levied on everything conceivable. It was exceedingly hard for foreigners to understand these tax-s and they were continually receiving notices that unless such and such a tax were paid the government would distrain. There was always difficulty on the part of the taxpayer in finding whom to pay, for three

parties levied taxes, the government, the province and the village.

That the poor people feel this tax tremendously Mr. Clifford-Wilkinson stated. In many places they could not eat their own rice. The taxes were levied indiscriminately upon imported and home stuff and the Japanese rice, which was the best in the world, was so heavily taxed that they had to eat the imported stuff, which was half the price and not nearly so nourishing. As a result, Japan, once famous for its cheap labor, was undergoing a change in this respect, too. A few years ago a 'ricketyman' cost 7 yen a month, now his pay was 13 yen.

Other remarkable increases in prices of useful articles in the price of cigars. Twenty years ago a box of 500 Manila cigars cost 8 yen, now a box of 100 sells for 18.

One word for the old white liner, the Empress of India, Mr. Clifford-Wilkinson wished to say. He had travelled across 16 or 18 times and had never failed to travel by this boat. She had the best officers, the best stewards and the best boys he had ever seen, and her table was the best that could be conceived. The late Milton Prior, the great war artist, was a friend of Mr. Clifford-Wilkinson, and that gentleman showed a letter in which Mr. Prior, discussing the inconveniences of ocean travel, said, "give me that comfortable and splendidly managed Empress line of steamers."

ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMME

Young People's Band of Salvation Army Has Several Interesting Selections for This Evening.

The band concert to be given to-night by the Young People's band in the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad street, will commence at 8 o'clock, with Mr. Newing in the chair.

This band was organized between two and three years ago under Bandmaster Porter, and is composed mostly of boys who attend the Army's Sabbath school. They supply the music for the Brigade open-air meeting on Sunday evenings and also on Thursday nights.

Bandmaster Vaughan, late of Calgary, is their present conductor.

The programme is as follows:

March.....Y. P. Band
Piano Solo.....Nellie Jackson
Cornet Duet.....Edgar Halsey and Sidney Slade
Euphonium Solo.....Jack Townsend
Vocal Duet.....Louie Cracknell and Beatrice Hughes
Recitation.....Lillie Ross-Kelly
Mandolin Solo.....Walter Carrington
Selection—Soldiers of the Army.....Y. P. Band
Piano Solo.....Miss Cassie Keefe
Comedy—The Policeman's Barrel Organ.....Gwenie Ross-Kelly
Cornet and Euphonium Duet.....F. and J. Townsend
Vocal Solo.....Laura White
Violin Solo.....Victor Ramsdale
Vocal Solo.....Elsie Paddock
Recitation.....Miss A. Saunders
Medley March.....Y. P. Band

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office,
October 15th to 16th, 1913.
Victoria—Bright sunshine, 11 hours 2 minutes; highest temperature, 55.8 on 15th; lowest, 51.6 on 15th; rain, 2.15 inches.
Nanaimo—Bright sunshine, 11 hours; highest temperature, 61 on 15th; lowest, 50 on 15th; rain, 1.5 inches.
Prince Rupert—Highest temperature, 50 on 15th; lowest, 38 on 15th and 16th; rain, 4.23 inches.
Atlin—Highest temperature, 58 on 15th; lowest, 16 on 15th; precipitation, .39 inch.
Dawson—Highest temperature, 49 on 15th and 16th; lowest, 6 on 16th; no rain.

CLUB HAS MADE GREAT PROGRESS PAST YEAR

Women's Canadian Club Hold
Annual Meeting; Member-
ship Nearly Doubled

Nearly 60 members of the Women's Canadian Club attended the annual general meeting which was held yesterday afternoon at the Rest Room, Y. W. C. A., Mrs. Jenkins presiding.

The election of officers resulted in the following being placed in office: President, Mrs. Jenkins; first vice-president, Mrs. J. P. Reid; second vice-president, Mrs. A. E. McPhillips; hon. treasurer, Mrs. Frank Andrews; hon. secretary, Mrs. T. Nicol; assistant secretary, Miss McTavish; and committee, Mrs. A. J. Doud, Mrs. Ker, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. W. J. Roper, Mrs. McDiarmid, Mrs. Gailher and Mrs. Hanington.

Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Wood acted as tellers and Mrs. Bradshaw as returning officer for the balloting in connection with the committee, all the officers of the executive being unanimously elected by standing vote.

Mrs. Nicol, the secretary, in her annual report for the year 1912-13, referred to the progress made during the past twelve months. A marked feature of the year's record, the report stated, was the largely increased membership, which, since December, 1912, when the number was 122, had grown to 238. Twelve others were on the lists as proposed members, which brought the number up to 250. Ten of the new members had been held during the year, four of which had been specially called. The resignation of Mrs. J. S. Gordon, the treasurer, owing to her removal to Vancouver, was noted, and the election of Mrs. Andrews to her place recorded. Reference was also made to the absence of the president, Mrs. F. Pemberton, whose place had been filled by Mrs. Jenkins and Mrs. Reid, first and second vice-presidents respectively.

During the year the club had entertained Rt. Rev. William Boyd Carpenter, Canon of Westminster Abbey; on December 12 the honorary president, Mrs. Patterson, had entertained the club at Government House, when Dr. Bowag, of Ottawa, had delivered an address; on January 31 the society had been addressed by Ernest Lloyd, of the Society of Miniaturists, London. Mrs. Fred Pemberton kindly having thrown open her home for the occasion; on March 12 Mrs. Mary Riser Hamilton, the well-known artist, had given an exhibition under the club auspices at the Empress hotel; on April 22 Mrs. Hanington had read a paper; on June 23 Miss Constance Boulton, of Toronto, had addressed the club; and on September 15 last, Miss Helen Ross-Kelly had been the guest of the organization at a meeting which was addressed at the Alexandra Club.

Other work undertaken by the club during the year had been in connection with sending out literature with the Arctic exploration party, and Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Murray, wives of two of the scientists, were entertained before the expedition sailed. The report contained a suggestion that members should notify the secretary of any change of address in order to avoid any displeasure that might arise from the non-receipt of notice cards, and concluded by saying that the club was a recognized factor in the uplifting of the community and that even greater things were hoped from it, and expressions of thanks were made to various officers and friends outside the organization who had assisted the club in its undertakings.

Motion of the adoption of the report was made and passed.

During the afternoon a letter was read from Miss McMurchy, of the Canadian Women's Press Club. Edmenton, stating that a fund was being started for the support of Canadian women writers, and citing the instance of the late Miss Pauline Johnson. The writer asked for co-operation from the local Canadian Women's Club, and after some discussion the matter was referred to a committee, who will submit their report to the next general meeting of the society.

The president, during the meeting, emphasized the importance of members individually working for the welfare of the society as a whole, and made a plea for an effort toward increasing the membership, suggesting that each member should undertake to bring in a certain number of new members during the year, and, if possible, bring up the total to 800.

The treasurer's report, read by Mrs. F. Andrews, showed that the total receipts for the year had been \$651; a total paid-up membership of 242; and a balance on hand of \$117.

On the motion of Mrs. Hasell, seconded by Mrs. Andrews, the following resolution of amendment to the constitution was passed: That the constitution shall be so amended that officers instead of being nominated by committee, should be nominated by the sending out of nomination papers to all members a week previous to the last executive meeting before the annual meeting.

A committee was also appointed to look into the matter of the special fund of the club, and to report at a special meeting of the organization to be called in the near future by the president.

"GIRL FROM MUMMS."

"My Italian Rose," sung by Miss Olive Vail in "The Girl From Mumms" which comes to the Victoria theatre October 21 and 22, is already securely entrenched as one of the best sellers. Miss Vail's interpretation of this acting song is the best thing she has done in years.

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—Second Floor

New Ruchings and Satin Folds 15c

Chiffon and Lace Ruchings, also Satin Folds in all the wanted colors. Special per yard.....15c

—Main Floor

Women's Motor Gloves Popular Makes

Fownes' Motor Gloves, made with gauntlet, strong, soft and flexible gloves with pique backs and P. X. seams, elastic at wrist. Per pair.....\$2.50

Dent's Motor Gloves, made of strong cape with strap at wrist, pique sewn backs and P. X. seams. Per pair at.....\$3.00

Wolf Motor Gloves, with ribbed gauntlet; soft and warm, in white only. Per pair.....75c

—Main Floor

Anniversary Specials in Wanted Table Linens

Double Damask Table Covers, regular \$2.75 values—Anniversary sale price only.....\$2.25
Regular \$3.50 values—Anniversary sale price.....\$2.85
Regular \$4.00 values—Anniversary sale price.....\$3.25
Regular \$4.50 values—Anniversary sale price.....\$3.85
Regular \$5.50 values—Anniversary sale price.....\$4.65
Regular \$6.50 and \$6.75 values—Anniversary sale price.....\$5.50
Table Napkins, regular \$2.25 values—Anniversary sale price.....\$1.85
Regular \$2.50 values—Anniversary sale price.....\$2.10
Regular \$3.00 values—Anniversary sale price.....\$2.40

—Main Floor

Women's and Misses' Flannelette Night- gowns

White or Pink Flannelette Night-gowns in slipover or fastened down front styles; prettily trimmed with embroidery and lace; long or three-quarter length sleeves—Anniversary Sale prices from \$2.25 to.....\$1.00
Flannelette Drawers in closed styles—Anniversary Sale price, per garment, 90c, 85c, 75c and.....65c

—First Floor

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Values up to \$5.75

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Well made, up-to-the-minute, stylish looking coats in every imaginable weave and color, marked at a price that should see every one sold in a very short time. One glance at this splendid collection will convince you that the price is indeed a low one for garments of such fine quality, and the designs are absolutely the latest. Perfectly tailored coats, made in materials of two-toned diagonal striped Boucle, Blanket Cloth, Tweeds, Chinchillas, Caraculs, Fancy Mixtures, etc., with straight and long cut-away fronts, the majority showing duplex collars, patch pockets and gauntlet cuffs; some trimmed velvet and showing belted backs; others plain. Especially priced for an early disposal at.....\$16.75

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Regular \$2.50 values—Sale price.....\$2.05
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Regular \$3.00 values—Sale price.....\$2.55
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Regular \$1.75 values—Sale price.....\$1.40
Medium bed size, regular \$1.75 values—Sale price.....\$1.40
Regular \$2.00 values—Sale price.....\$1.65
Double bed size, regular \$2.25 values—Sale price.....\$1.85
Regular \$2.50 values—Sale price.....\$2.00
Pique Bedspreads, single bed size, regular \$2.00 values—Sale price.....\$1.65

—Main Floor

Special Sale of Tailored Waists \$1

Women's White Linenette, Pique Vesting and Cambric Shirt Waists, in plain styles or in pin striped and spot designs, with French collars and cuffs and watch pocket, fastened with pearl or glass buttons, especially priced for the Anniversary Sale at.....\$1.00

—First Floor

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Brown and White, Brown and Red Striped Turkish Towels. Regular 50c values—Anniversary Sale price, per pair.....35c
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—Main Floor

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—First Floor

Embroidered Collars Reg. up to 35c Values 15c

Stiff Embroidered Linen, Pique and Plain Collars, in straight, turn-over, Dutch and Quaker shapes; sizes from 12½ to 15. Regular up to 35c values—Sale price.....15c

—Main Floor

Satin Underskirts A Special Purchase

These Underskirts are of exceptionally smart appearance and would sell in the ordinary way at a much higher price than they are marked, but we bought them at a low figure and are offering them to you on basis of purchase. They come with double accordion plaited frills or with wide tucked flounces, in colors black, emerald, brown, purple, cerise and navy. Anniversary Sale price.....\$2.65

—First Floor

Women's and Misses' Shoes Greatly Reduced

Patent Leather Button Boots, with kid or cloth tops, welted soles, with plain or self tips; patent leather, gun-metal, box calf, vici or dongola kid Laced Boots, welted and double soles, Cuban, low and medium heels. Regular values from \$4.25 to \$5.00—Anniversary Sale price.....\$3.85
Box Calf Laced Boots, with heavy soles, Cuban and low heels; dongola Laced Boots, with patent tip and low heels; velour calf and vici kid Bluchers, with self and patent tips, medium heels. Regular \$3.50 to \$4.00 values—Anniversary Sale price.....\$2.85
Box Calf Button Boots, in black or tan, with high leg, welted sole and laced top for stout women. Regular \$5.50 values—Anniversary Sale price, per pair.....\$4.35
Black Kid Button Boots, with cushion insoles and low heels. Regular \$4.50 values—Anniversary Sale price, per pair.....\$3.60

—Basement

Sweater Coats For Skating

You will need a Sweater Coat now that the skating season is here, and you will find just the very kind you are looking for at this store. We have them in various weights, with high or low roll collars, in colors navy, cardinal, grey, tan, maroon, white, etc.; all sizes ranging in price from \$6.75 to.....\$1.90

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HOW NORTHCLIFFE GOT HIS PEERAGE

Fleet Street Much Interested Over the Suppression of Book Just Published

London, Oct. 15.—Fleet street is much interested in a little agitation in the publishing world.

Chapman & Hall, an old publishing firm, had announced the appearance on Tuesday of "Lord London," by John Keble Bell, who writes under the pen name of Keble Howard. This did not attract any attention until on the day the review copies were sent out, and an interview with the author appeared in an afternoon paper. In this talk, the public was informed that the book, although in fiction form, was a biography of Lord Northcliffe, the newspaper magnate, the object of which was to set right in the eyes of the world a great many things which have been consistently misrepresented.

The author asserted he was qualified for the task, because, as he says, "I have known him and have worked with him."

On Monday the publishers notified the newspapers and magazines that the publication of the book had been postponed, and a request was made that the reviews be withheld and the copies of the book returned. The notice to one paper went astray, however, and a two-column review of the book under the caption, "A Literary Outrage," appeared.

Winning a Peerage.

Curiosity became keen as to why the publishers or the author had stopped publication. Lord Northcliffe was in the United States and could not have seen the book. The question was then asked if the publishers and author suddenly and spontaneously changed their minds, or were influenced by Lord Northcliffe's representative in London. If the latter was the case, the objectionable aspect of the book, which was generally selected by those who have head the still unpublished work, is the account of how "Lord London," who was then a baronet, secured a peerage from a Conservative government, of which Right Hon. A. J. Balfour was then premier.

The author describes how a statesman who is incidentally the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, returned from Africa, filled with the imperial idea, and started a tariff reform campaign and how the latter, supported by the Daily Mail, set on the fence. He goes on to describe an interview between the baronet and his editor. They are discussing an editorial on the burning topic of Mr. Chamberlain's tariff reform, and the editor, in effect, tells "Lord London" that his editorial is unimpeachable, and asks him the blunt question as to what it means.

Dinner With the Premier.

"Are you for or against the proposition?" asked the editor.
The proprietor and editor then sit in silence for ten minutes, when suddenly the telephone rings. "Lord London" answers the call. It is Premier Balfour, and he asks "Lord London" to dine with him alone at Downing street that evening.

There is an account of the dinner and the conversation between the premier and "Lord London" which shows, although not in a very subtle manner, the latter bargaining for a peerage. Mr. Balfour is talking of honors less than a peerage. The newspaper owner is standing out for a peerage or nothing, and quotes the honors that have been bestowed on other newspaper proprietors, one of which is "Lord Beeches," which is evidently intended for Lord Burnham, owner of the Daily Telegraph.

Eventually "Lord London" secures the peerage on condition that all his papers support tariff reform, one stipulation being that he will be able to announce, on the highest authority, that the proposed bill will not increase the cost of the poor people's food. Before this chapter, there is one which gives an account of an embassy of Premier Balfour visiting "Lord London" at his country place to sound him on this matter. The negotiations between "Lord London" and the emissary are conducted in metaphor over a game of golf on the private course of the newspaper proprietor.

The emissary talks of more modest honors, how so-and-so was well pleased with the knighthood as well as so-and-so's wife. "Lord London" blazes in reply, that so-and-so paid a lump sum to the party campaign fund and got his knighthood. He did not have to pay any money. "Lord London" suggests that his influence would be continuous through his many papers.

Then the fencing between the premier's emissary and "Lord London" is carried on in golf metaphor. "Lord London," in an approach shot, plays high, over-tops the bunker and lies dead on an elevated green. The emissary does not play high enough and his ball rolls back and "Lord London" remarks that by playing high he got there. The emissary, by not playing high, rolled back and was little better off than before and besides had wasted a stroke. This was kept up to the end of the game, which "Lord London" won. At the end of the game the political emissary made a remark to the effect that the game had been played for a high stake.

FISH HAWKED TO RAGTIME.

A musical fish hawk has lately been varying the monotony of street cries in Liverpool (says the Liverpool Daily Post) by utilizing ragtime melodies. The effect may have been a trifle ludicrous, as, for instance, when to the tune of "Alexander's Ragtime Band" he belted forth the information that "Flukes are fresh and cheap to-day." But whatever may be thought of the expedient he has adopted, it has the prime advantage, from his point of view, of attracting public attention.



D. A. LAFORTUNE, M. P.

LaFortune, M. P. for Montclair, challenged Albert Seigny, M. P. for Dorchester to contest Montclair. The challenge was accepted and both members have resigned their seats for a new battle.



ALBERT SEIGNY, M. P.

PEGGY IN THE CAFE.

Their names are Peggy and Tommy (writes their father, in the Manchester Guardian), and it was not without some misgiving that I took them into a city cafe the other day for tea. They have run wild in the country so long that civilized behaviour is not one of their prominent virtues.

Apart from an insistent demand to drink out of the cream-jugs, however, and a more inquisitive stare than is considered polite at their fellow-customer, they bore themselves very well, and just as I was congratulating myself on the circumstance outside Peggy opened a sordid, chubby hand, displaying two pennies. She smiled slyly, and by way of explanation remarked, "I saw you hide them under your plate, daddy."

Tommy had not been so fortunate. He had only plundered a penny from a table near the door!

ROYAL TERRIER'S ROMANCE.

A little dirty dog, of no account, he looked, as the street arabs from Great Queen street would him; and the kind-hearted passer-by in Kingsway who sought to befriending him expected nothing for his pains. But the dog, freed from his persecutors, looked grateful and intelligent.

Accompanying his finder to Scotland, the terrier, who turned out to be one of the now-popular Sealhams breed, quickly learnt the trick of retrieving, and would have nothing to do with any one save his rescuer. Meanwhile the police had been told of the find, and soon after the dog's temporary master learnt that the dog had been given to H. R. H. Prince Arthur of Connaught by his fiancée, the Duchess of Fife, shortly after the engagement, and that his return would be welcomed.

So back he went, to the regret of his rescuer, who had come to know and like the terrier. He had escaped from his royal owner's control, and had had a bad time of it wandering round London before he chanced to make his way to Kingsway—and a friend.



WHERE NOME IS.

Nome, Alaska, which was recently swept by a terrific hurricane and then by fire. The most northerly city on the continent of America.

SCRAP BOOK.

Leipzig Centenary Commemorated by the World's Largest Monument.

The world's largest monument has been erected to commemorate the centenary of the "battle of the nations," which commenced at Leipzig one hundred years ago to-day, and which resulted in a complete victory for the allies over Napoleon. This memorable struggle, called by the Germans the great Volkenschlacht, precipitated the downfall of the Man of Destiny, and was his last important battle, until Waterloo.

The Volkenschlacht monument, which will be unveiled day after to-morrow in the presence of all the imperial and royal families of Germany, has been erected by popular subscription of German patriots. It towers to a height of 245 feet, or 40 feet higher than the Liberty statue in New York harbor. The whole structure weighs about 600,000 tons. In the interior is a great domed hall. Surrounding the monument are twelve gigantic figures of soldiers, each forty feet in height and weighing over two tons each.

The battle of the nations began on the 16th of October, 1813, when the main army of the allied troops of Prussia, Russia and Austria, about 100,000 strong, under the command of Prince Schwartzberg, attacked the army of Napoleon, stationed in and around Leipzig. From 9 o'clock until noon a number of villages south of the city, occupied by the French, were furiously but vainly assaulted. Napoleon then assumed the offensive, adopting a tortoise measure of a grand attack on the enemy's centre, and a column of the young and old guards, preceded by a train of artillery, succeeded in piercing the allied army. Schwartzberg ordered up his reserves, and Napoleon, seeing the same, a general engagement ensued along the whole line of attack. Frequent charges of cavalry marked the action; and at one time Murski, at the head of the cuirassiers of the old guard, almost succeeded in capturing the King of Prussia and the Emperor of Russia. On the verge of success, the Cossacks of the imperial guard and the Austrian reserves came up and saved the imperilled monarchs. At nightfall of the 16th both armies remained nearly in the position they had occupied in the morning, except that the French succeeded in opening a line of retreat in case of disaster. During the engagement the allies were strengthened by the arrival of Blucher with the army of Silesia, 60,000 strong, giving the allies a decided numerical superiority. On the 17th both armies by tacit agreement rested, and Napoleon conscious of his weakness, made an ineffectual attempt to secure an armistice.

When the battle was resumed on the 18th, the allies had been further strengthened by the arrival of Russian reserves and Bernadotte's army of the north. The field strength of the allies was 300,000 men, nearly double that of Napoleon's army. Opposed by this overwhelming force of Prussians, Austrians, Russians, and Swedes, Napoleon and his officers had no alternative but to be discouraged, yet they fought with heroic courage all day the battle of the nations raging furiously. Napoleon's Saxon and Wurtemberg troops went over to the allies during the day. When night closed down upon the scene of carnage, Napoleon realized that the city was no longer tenable, and ordered a retreat. He started playing over twenty years ago, while a student at Cambridge.

Capit. Walter Selby Buckmaster, who is regarded by polo experts as the most scientific exponent of the game, was born in London forty-one years ago to-day. He has played on more winning teams than any other polo player. He started playing over twenty years ago, while a student at Cambridge.

THE HUMAN PROCESSION

Lord Osborne de Vere Beauclerk, the half-brother and heir presumptive of the eleventh duke of St. Albans, who has made many visits to the United States and Canada, was born thirty-nine years ago to-day. His mother was the second wife of the tenth duke, Lord Beauclerk, who is a captain in a lancer regiment, is a descendant of King Charles II and his beautiful and hard-swearing mistress, Nell Gwynne. The lovely but unconventional Nell bore two sons to her royal master, one of whom was made the first Duke of St. Albans. He married the eldest daughter of Aubrey de Vere, the last Earl of Oxford, celebrated as "the daughter of a hundred earls."

When Lord Beauclerk is in London he is given a weekly reminder of his ancestry by the tolling of the bells at St. Martin in the Fields in memory of Nell Gwynne. Under the terms of an ancient legacy, this ceremony takes place every Friday evening, and the tolling of the bells receives in payment a leg of mutton. Nell Gwynne, the maternal ancestor of eleven dukes, was born in a cellar in the coal yards of Drury Lane, and was reared in the lowest haunts of vice. In her youth she was an orange vendor, and later became a singer, wandering from tavern to tavern to entertain the guests. She soon attracted the attention of the gay blades of seventeenth-century London, and had barely reached her teens when she acquired her first lover. She was the mistress successively of Hart and Lacy, the actors, and of several men about town. At fifteen she went on the stage, and her rare beauty, together with her ability as a singer and dancer, made her the toast of the town. Dryden thought highly of her talents, but always gave her light, humorous parts. Her nature was gay, frivolous and yielding, and in a tragic or serious role, Pepys tells us, she acted most basely.

By this time Nell could pick and choose her lovers from among the highest in the land. At seventeen she became the mistress of Lord Buckhurst, and was devotedly attached to him. Charles II became infatuated with her, however, and the ungallant lord gave Nell to his royal master in return for a political reward. Upon becoming the king's favorite she was given an establishment of her own, and was even made a lady of the privy chamber to Queen Catherine, and admitted to the best society of London.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

In the Matter of the Victoria Syndicate Doing Business at 404 Sayward Building.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership existing between C. W. Holden and S. B. Johnston is dissolved, and the firm's business will hereafter be conducted by C. W. Holden, who will assume all liabilities and to whom all accounts are payable. Creditors of the firm please present all bills before thirty days.

(Signed) C. W. HOLDEN.
Witness, C. P. WOOD, B. C. JOHNSTON.
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 15, 1913.

In the Matter of the Estate of James Wallace, Late of Metchoin District in the Province of British Columbia.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 22nd day of October, 1913.

Dated this 22nd day of September, A.D. 1913.
YATES & JAY,
416-7 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.
Solicitors for the Administrator.

In the Matter of the Estate of James Bradley Raine, Late of the City of Victoria, B. C., Deceased.

All persons having claims against the above estate are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of September, 1913, after which date the administrator will proceed to distribute the said estate according to law, with regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., the 16th day of August, 1913.
BRADSHAW & STACPOOLE,
Of 221 Bann Street, Victoria, B. C.,
Solicitors for the Administrator.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter Korsak, Late of the Municipality of Esquimalt, British Columbia.

All persons having claims against the above estate are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 11th day of October, 1913, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the said estate according to law, with regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 11th day of September, 1913.
McPHILLIPS & TAIT,
Of Davis Chambers, 545 Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the Executor.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of James Goodfellow Mann, Late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 7th day of November, 1913.

Dated this 7th day of October, 1913.
YATES & JAY,
Solicitors for the Executors,
416-7 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders will be received at the office of the Board of School Trustees of Victoria, on or before 4 o'clock p. m. of the 14th day of November, 1913, for the erection and completion of THE MARGARET JENKINS SCHOOL (Hollywood), Victoria. Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque in favor of the Board of School Trustees of Victoria, for an amount equal to five per cent. of the total amount of the tender. In the event of successful contractor refusing to enter into a contract his cheque will be forfeited. The Board of School Trustees do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

SPURGIN & WILKINS,
Architects, Victoria.

NOTICE.

Applications will be received by the undersigned for the position of Medical Health Officer for the above district, up to—on, October 20, 1913.

L. F. RIXFORD, Architect,
219 Sayward Building.

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RANGES

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KITCHEN UTENSILS

HEATERS

CIVIC NOTICE.

Re Municipal Election, 1914.

The attention of persons desiring to qualify as "HOUSEHOLDERS," or "HOLDERS OF TRADE LICENSES," to vote at the Municipal Election to be held on the 2nd Thursday of January, 1914, is drawn to Section 5 of the "Municipal Elections Act," which provides that, in the case of the holder of a Trade License, or in the case of a Householder, he, or she, shall during the month of October in each year, make and cause to be delivered to the Clerk of the Municipality, a Statutory Declaration made and subscribed before a Supreme or County Court Judge, Stipendiary or Police Magistrate, Commissioner for taking affidavits in the Supreme Court, Justice of the Peace, or Notary Public, or Municipal Clerk, in form, and to the effect of Form 1 in the schedule of the said Act in the case of the holder of a trade license, and of Form 2 in said schedule in the case of a householder.

"HOUSEHOLDERS" shall extend to and include any person of the full age of 21 years who occupies a dwelling, tenement, hotel or boarding house, or who is a resident in the Municipality from the first day of January of the current year, and who shall, unless exempted by the provisions of the Act, at the end of the Municipal Act (which exempts certain efficient millmen and persons over the age of 60 years from paying road tax) have paid directly to the Municipality rates, taxes or assessments, which are not chargeable on land, which rates, taxes or assessments so paid shall amount to more than two dollars, due to the municipality for the current year, other than water rates or taxes, or license fees for dogs.

Section 5 of said Act further provides that "no declaration shall be accepted by the Clerk of a City Municipality unless it is delivered within 48 hours after it is made."

Section 4 also states that No Chinese, Japanese, or other Asiatics or Indians, shall be entitled to vote at any municipal election for the election of Mayor or Alderman.

Form of necessary declarations made at the office of the City Assessor, second floor, City Hall, Douglas Street, Victoria, B. C., Sept. 30, 1913.

NAVIGABLE WATER PROTECTION ACT.

NOTICE is hereby given that A. O. F. Francis, of the City of Vancouver, B. C., and Thomas Hope Leeming, David Leeming and John Leeming, of the City of Victoria, B. C., are applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area, plans, site and description of the works proposed to be constructed in Victoria Harbor up per Basin, Victoria, B. C., being land situated, lying and being in the City of Victoria aforesaid, and known as numbered and described as Lots Seventeen (17) and Eighteen (18), Block "L," Harbor Estate, Map No. 16, and have deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works at the Registrar General of Titles at the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria, B. C., and that the matter will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette.

Dated this 16th day of September, 1913.
A. O. F. FRANCIS, THOMAS HOPE LEEMING, DAVID LEEMING and JOHN LEEMING,
By their Solicitor, Sydney Child, Suite 204, Hibben-Boss Block, Victoria, B. C.

MUNICIPALITY OF ESQUIMALT

POUND NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, October 11, at 2 p. m., at the Pound at Macaulay Point, I shall sell at public auction one grey horse, branded "B" on right side, unless said animal be redeemed and pound charges paid at or before the time of sale.

W. A. SADDLER,

Pound-keeper.

TENDERS FOR POLES

Sealed tenders will be received up to 4 p. m. on Monday, Oct. 20, 1913, for 100 forty-five feet poles, to be delivered within forty days from date of order. Specifications may be seen at the office of the City Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked on outside of envelope "Tenders for Poles." Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque, payable to the City Corporation, for five per cent. of the amount of the tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,

City-Purchasing Agent.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 4, 1913.

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OUR LETTER BOX

Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received at the Times office not later than the day before the day of publication. When received later they will be held over until the following day.

While unobjectionable anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

PARKER WILLIAMS COMES BACK.

To the Editor:—Mr. E. Jacobs's first letter on the coal miners' strike impressed me that he desired a discussion of the question, his second communication bristled with new issues, two days later he discovers that he has no time to follow what he heartlessly describes as my "lengthy, irrelevant tirade." As to lengthiness, an examination of Mr. Jacobs's letters of the 2nd or 7th will prove he has been as lengthy, or more so, than myself, and as to the relevancy, a Nanaimo paper found it so very much so that it devoted nearly three columns to the work that I had thought Mr. Jacobs was so willing to take up.

Mr. Jacobs asserts that the writer is an adept at "throwing mud," and quotes the old adage, "No case, bully the opposing witness," yet two days previous to this display of high literary ideals (this same gentleman, writing of myself, says:—"Men of sober sense (like Mr. Jacobs) should not be expected to seriously heed the wild ravings of any irresponsible ranters." This, of course, is not mud throwing; this is argument. We know this, because it comes from Mr. Jacobs.

Mr. Jacobs does not want any argument after all, but we frequently set various things which we do not want, and in this case, with Mr. Editor's permission, Mr. Jacobs will get all the information which his letter of the 7th indicates that he stands in need of, whether he wants it or not.

Mr. Jacobs is satisfied that Agates are not improperly employed underground by the Mackenzie & Mann Corporation, because, as he assures us, the miners' representative on the examining board was at some previous time chosen by the miners as alternate. This board is composed of three members, one appointed by the mine owners, one elected by the miners and a disinterested third man appointed by the minister of mines. Now, the nearest that Sir Richard McBride could get to this description of a man, at a time that the company was admittedly anxious to fill up the mine with anything in human shape that could increase the output, was Mr. Henderson, the superintendent of one of the mines. So this board, which Mr. Jacobs offers as a guarantee against the employment of incompetent Asiatics, is composed of two officials of the company and a strikebreaker.

As to the "holiday" which Mr. Jacobs sneers at, the mines work three shifts. To declare a holiday is the only way that the whole of the men could be got together to determine what, if any, action should be taken. Before any definite course had been decided upon, the new industrial masters of B. C. ordered the miners to take their tools out, thereby declaring a lockout. Keeping this latter act in mind, we can better understand the failure of the department of labor to investigate or to prosecute for infraction of the conciliation act. To do so would be liable to place in an unfavorable light the very amiable gentlemen who are making a "clean up" of about a million dollars per month from the federal treasury, and whose mortgage to the tune of nearly fifty million dollars is hung to the neck of the people of British Columbia.

Mr. Jacobs is quite right. The question is now a question of recognition of the union, but there is no gap in logic by which it becomes so. After the miners had the colliery office door slammed in their face they appealed to Sir Richard McBride, who treated them with "indulgent calm." They then in effect said:—"If the power of the state is not available to protect us and secure the effective operation of every safety precaution contained in the Coal Mines Regulation Act, we must form ourselves into a power that will do so." This power, the union, to have any value at all, must be able to talk to the mining corporation, and whether this organization shall or shall not do business on behalf of the units of which it is composed is the issue at stake. The necessity for this having arisen from the refusal of the minister of mines to satisfy the miners that an attack was not being made on his safety places that honorable gentleman a co-partner with the colliery company against the miners—which explains the desperate efforts of the government to break the strike, and also the wild efforts of every Conservative journal and journalist throughout the province to lose the issue and to justify the government and colliery company.

This trouble, arising out of a matter of mine safety, cannot be shuffled off to Ottawa as an industrial dispute. Ottawa could possibly act, but any investigation would at once run up against the treatment of the strike, which is an exclusively provincial affair.

As to "where is Mottishaw now?" It is Mottishaw's experience with the Canadian Collieries Company, not his subsequent history, that will cause other men to refuse to take the risks of acting on the gas committee. Portney, the other committee man, believes that he too was reaping the fruits of his efficiency in that capacity, and from the drift of events at the time the strike occurred was looking for similar treatment daily.

Mr. Jacobs features a couple of cases where the mines department initiated proceedings which led to the cancellation of an overman and a manager's certificate. In the first-named case there is a possibility that the affair might have been overlooked if the writer had not been so insistent. In the second case a coroner's jury returned a verdict that compelled the discharge of a government inspector or the cancellation of a manager's certificate. The said manager probably be-

CARSON AT BALLYCLARE



Sir Edward Carson, rebel or patriot, according to your point of view, addressing a large crowd at Ballyclare in opposition to Home Rule.

ieves that an injustice was done. As Mr. Jacobs has introduced this new phase, I will ask whether he has learned of an instance just prior to the strike when the chief inspector found a portion of the Extension mine with less than the minimum quantity of air required by the act for each man employed. No prosecution has yet been initiated. Yet there can be no more serious infraction of the safety clauses of the act than this. Such are the proofs of the efficiency of the department of mines.

For reasons best known to himself, Mr. Jacobs quotes and clothes with very touching details a statement made and with which my name was connected in the police court at Lady Smith. As this little incident is not yet closed, I will ask the reader to withhold judgment for a few days.

In my previous letter I suggested that the Colonist correspondent was the same as Jacobs, who, in my memory was not defective, told the B. C. public that the reduction in the death rates in mines during 1911 was due to the wisdom of the premier in appointing Mr. Grahame as chief inspector. Mr. Jacobs wishes to bet \$50 either that he is not the Jacobs in question, or that no Jacobs made a statement in line with the above, and suggests a board of arbitrators to decide the matter. Now if the present Mr. Jacobs did not make a statement substantially in line with the above then "there is nothing to arbitrate" as far as he is concerned. A simple invitation to produce the statement would be sufficient. However, I consider myself under obligation to produce the statement as quickly as I have opportunity to look up the back files of the press, and will trust the readers of the Times to act as arbitrators.

ORIENTAL MENACE.

To the Editor:—I hope you can find space for a letter regarding the large numbers of Asiatics arriving here on our shores by every ship and simply by force of numbers are driving our own white people out of business, buying up the land and getting the best parts of this city, and slowly but surely driving the white man out of every industry throughout this island and province. Are we going to allow all this lying down? Where is our so-called British and Canadian pluck? What is the use of our great resources to the Canadian when the vast majority of the help employed are Orientals? It would stagger the white race if the exact figures could be obtained of the amount sent out of this province to China every year, running into several millions of dollars. It is impossible to have a prosperous province under these conditions. This provincial policy is fast bringing this province to bankruptcy. Mr. Martin Burrell said Oriental immigration is not only a great question with us in British Columbia, but it will be the dominant question with the whole Empire. It is a question of ultimate dominance between the Far East and the West, of the final supremacy of the yellow or white. Remember that we on the Pacific Coast are keeping watch for you in Eastern Canada. We look across the water and see untold millions absolutely and fundamentally different in tradition and ideals and in social structure, and therefore we must ever be reluctant to open the door to the influx, knowing well fusion is impossible and that there can be no hope of assimilating these people to the benefit of the Empire. How can a man call himself a patriotic British subject when he employs these yellow men when hundreds of his white brothers are walking the streets footsore and hungry, especially when two managers of local lumber mills told me they realize that it took two Orientals' labor to equal one white man. In conclusion I might state there will be another protest meeting of the Asiatic Exclusion League on Thursday next, October 16, at 8 p.m., Liberal rooms, Cormorant and Broad streets.

F. SMITH.

TREATMENT OF HINDUS

Minister of Indian Government Replies to Query; Favors Removal of Restriction on Admission.

W. H. Clark, replying to a question at the first meeting of the autumn session of the Imperial legislative council at Simla, with reference to the grievances of the Indian residents in Canada said:—"The government of India have no very recent information as to the number of Indians in Canada, but it is understood to be about 2500. They are unaware of how many of these are Sikhs. The government of India have on more than one occasion recently represented to the secretary of state the importance they attach to a concession being made by the Canadian government in favor of wives and minor children of Indian residents in Canada, and the withdrawal in their case of the restriction imposed by the requirement of a continuous journey on a through ticket. Intimation has since been received that the secretary of state for the colonies is communicating with the Dominion government as to the possibility of facilitating the entry of the wives and children of Indians who have acquired Canadian domicile. As I have explained, the 'order-in-council' applies to all immigrants and not only to Indians. There is, however, direct communication between Japan, China and Canada. The entry of Japanese laborers is limited to a fixed number in any one year. Chinese immigrants are required to pay a poll tax of \$500."

TELEPHONE INCIDENT.

A little telephone incident which occurred the other morning may have been due to that "Monday-morning" feeling which probably afflicts the telephone girl as it does the average man, writes "U. W." in the Glasgow News.

At 10.30 a.m. the telephone bell rang furiously; I grasped the receiver, and for about three minutes "hallo-ed" till I became just a little impatient. Then a silvery voice inquired, "Number, please?" Being off my guard for the instant, and thinking probably this was a "trunk connection," I said, "80-and-56, Central," which is my own number.

The silvery accents were heard again in the fraction of a minute. They said, "Number engaged." I laid down the receiver and thought the matter over. I am still thinking. And the young lady, too, would have a problem to solve if she thought it over. How on earth did she expect to connect a number with itself, and have me speaking to myself on the machine?

No; the telephone is a great invention, but it has its limitations on a Monday morning.

It has been calculated that nearly 100,000 feet, or over 5,000 miles, of film are used up yearly to satisfy the world's demand for moving pictures.

THE GREAT MONTREAL NEWSPAPER MUDDLE

An Extraordinary Scrap Between the Star and Herald; Both Conservative.

Sir Hugh Graham, proprietor of the Montreal Star, is a Scotch-Canadian who was born in Huntingdon, P. Q., 65 years ago. He was trained in the newspaper and business world by his uncle, E. H. Parsons, at one time editor and publisher of the Montreal Commercial Advertiser and Evening Telegram. He was for a time secretary-treasurer of the Montreal Gazette, and then founded the Star, which at first advocated the separation of Canada from the British empire. He is said to have made the claim that he has made the Star what it is "without the influence of any political party, without any sustained policy, and without being tied to fixed opinions on any subject or question." He was knighted in 1908.

D. Lorne McGibbon, the chief owner of the Montreal Herald, began his career after leaving school at the age of 15, with life insurance, passed from that to the coal trade in St. Paul and Duluth, thence into trading in the Northwest, thence into the rubber business as general manager of the Canadian Rubber Company of Montreal, and since then has become connected with mining, lumbering, boot and shoemaking, and many other enterprises, his latest being the purchase of the Montreal Herald, the founding of the Financial Times of Montreal, and the promulgation of the Sunday Herald. He is 43 years old, and was the son of the late Major Alexander McGibbon, of Montreal.

The Herald was Liberal, but now is Conservative, or at least is printing such stuff as McGibbon instructs it to print, and McGibbon is Conservative.

Now comes a writ, claiming \$100,000 damages issued by McGibbon, of the Herald, against Graham, of the Star, which states that Sir Hugh Graham is the owner and prime factor in the new Liberal paper in Montreal, the Telegraph and Witness, which was taken over from J. McDougall some months ago, and ostensibly in the interest of the Liberal party. Sir Hugh has refused to deny or admit that he had connection with the Liberal party, which of itself is thought to add color to the general report that the knightly owner of the Star is playing a sort of Jekyll and Hyde game in the newspaper field.

It is said that Sir Hugh had a falling-out with the Conservative party, and that when Mr. Borden was sent into office he did not make the cabinet appointments he wanted made, and, on the contrary, appointed Colonel Sam Hughes to an important post in spite of the fact that Sir Hugh and Hughes were not cordial to one another. It is alleged that the Star and the Conservative administration have been drifting apart.

The Montreal newspaper muddle may be explained as a result of the proceedings on the writ against Sir Hugh, who is charged with conspiring to prevent the publication of the Herald. It is a fight wherein Greek meets Greek, and excepting that the good old Witness, as it lives in the Telegraph, may have to suffer a few more humiliations, it is a fight that a good many people would like to see fought to a finish. The spectacle will delight wicked Grits, who have much cause to feel chagrined at the manner in which their party has been treated by the men who manipulate newspapers and newspaper policies in Montreal.

THE STORY OF TWO BISHOPS.

The church congress recalls a story told by the late Bishop of Manchester of a previous gathering. Bishop Magee had by mistake taken the hat of his brother of Winchester (Wilberforce), who said, "I will change heads with you, if you please, but not hats."

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TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

Two hundred and twenty-three years ago to-day occurred the strange scene, described with such gusto by Parkman, when Philippe, the commander of the New England fleet of fishing boats, sent a subaltern officer with a summons to the haughty Frontenac to surrender Quebec. Met by four canoes from the city, the messenger was blindfolded, taken ashore and led, through throngs of laughing townsfolk, over all kinds of obstructions and by a most circuitous way, to the Chateau. Then the bandage was removed from his eyes, and he found himself in the presence of the stately old governor, surrounded by a group of officers, "bedecked with gold lace and silver lace, plumes and powder, plumes and ribbons, and all the martial forebodings which they wore; daylight, and regarding the envoy with keen, defiant eyes." But the daunted Englishman speedily recovered his breath and presented his leader's letter, requiring Frontenac to surrender unconditionally—forts and garrison and stores—within an hour on pain of "the peril that will ensue." There was a loud murmur of indignation at this insulting notice, and Frontenac replied, "I will answer your general only by the mouths of my cannon. Let him do his best, and I will do mine." So saying he dismissed the messenger abruptly.

A dramatic tale of lost treasure is connected with the wreck of the ship Primrose, which went down in the Bay of Islands, Newfoundland, on this date in the year 1759. According to the story, the Primrose was fairly loaded with a vast store of gold, precious jewels and other treasure, which the governor of Mauritius, during a long career as a privateer, preying upon English commerce. Having acquired vast riches, by methods little short of piratical, M. Duplex decided to resign his post and devote the remainder of his life to spending his money. He feared to send his fortune directly to France, where it might be seized and turned into the treasury of his king, so he placed it on board the Primrose and dispatched that vessel to Quebec. It was his purpose to go to France and give an account of his stewardship, and then proceed to Canada, where he could claim his fortune, and, after a time, return to Paris, posing as one who had accumulated wealth by honest endeavor. In the course of time the Primrose sailed into Gaspé Bay, where her commander was informed that Quebec had been taken by the English a month before. The Primrose then sailed for Newfoundland, but when nearing the coast a terrible storm came up and the ship

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was driven on the reefs of the Bay of Islands. Thus was the avaricious Duplex deprived of the spoils of years of piracy.

October 16 is the birthday of Frederick Rudolph Lambert, tenth Earl of Cavan, aide-de-camp to Lord Stanley of Preston, Governor-General of Canada from 1891 to 1893; in 1895; and of J. Playfair McMurrich, educator and anatomist, at Toronto, 1859.

BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS

Beck, Albert Edward, K. C. (Vancouver); born, Sarnia, Ont., 1860; served in Nile expedition under Lord Wolseley; registrar of Supreme court of British Columbia, 1890-1897; now solicitor to the British Columbia Electric railway.

Beck, James Edward (Vancouver); born, Windermere, Eng., 1882; barrister.

Cahill, Thomas J. (Saskatoon); born, Calumet Island, Que., 1875; estate and financial broker; contested Pontiac for the Commons, 1911.

Card, William D. (Carberry, Man.); born, St. Mary's, Ont., 1871; barrister, fraternalist and bowler.

Castleman, Samuel John (Vancouver); born, Dickinson's Landing, Ont., 1886; finance and estate broker and company director.

Turner, R. T. Andrew Hunter, M. A., D. D. (Quebec); born, Sarnia, Ont., 1859; bishop of Quebec since 1895.

Maxwell, Donald (Calgary); born, London, Ont., 1879; banker in early life; now financial broker.

Gourdeau de Beaulieu, Lieut.-Col. Francis F. E. (Ottawa); born, Quebec, 1846; in civil service of Canada for 35 years; last deputy minister of marine and fisheries; one of the founders of the Princess Louise Dragon Guards of Ottawa, which he commanded for several years; one of the founders of the Ottawa Hunt.

Ingram, George C. (Moose Jaw, Sask.); born, Aberdeen, Scotland, 1847; lumberman in Minnesota, 1892-1910, and in Saskatchewan since.

McMurrich, James Playfair, M. A., Ph. D. (Toronto); born, Toronto, 1859; professor of anatomy at Toronto University.

Mehan, William Charles Clyde (Prince Rupert); born, Quebec, 1866; in railway service since 1881; now superintendent of the mountain section of the C. P. R.

Newell, Camby Foster (Edmonton); born, Lambton, Ont., 1874; barrister.

O'Meara, Rev. Thomas Robert, M. A., Ph. D. (Toronto); born, Georgetown, Ont., 1864; principal of Wycliffe College and a prominent worker for social and moral reform.

Singston, Robert Mills, M. D. (Winnipeg); born, Carlton Place, Ont., 1864; professor in Manitoba Medical College and president of the Winnipeg board of health.

Stewart, John Duncan, M. P. P. (Arcola, Sask.); born, Perth county, Ont., 1859; Liberal M. P. P. for Canning since 1905.

Wood, Charles Edward Dudley (Regina); born, Washington, D. C., 1859; journalist for many years; deputy attorney-general of the Northwest Territories, 1904-5, and of Saskatchewan, 1906; now in private practice as a barrister.

Wright, David (Emerson, Man.); born, New York, 1847; a pioneer of Manitoba; contractor and farmer.

Young, Rev. Colin Gordon (Prince Albert); born, Colborne, Huron, Ont., 1868; Presbyterian pastor at Prince Albert since 1901.

FIRST THINGS

The first general demand for a Pacific railway was voiced in an Interstate convention held in St. Louis sixty-four years ago to-day, when the project of a national railroad across the continent was unanimously endorsed. The scheme was suggested three years earlier by Asa Whitney, but attracted little attention until the gold rush to California gave promise of a rapid accumulation of wealth on the Pacific coast. Shortly after the St. Louis convention, Senator Thomas H. Benton introduced a bill into the United States congress providing for preliminary steps in such an undertaking. In 1859 ground was broken for the Pacific railroad by the mayor of St. Louis, but it was not until 1863 that four expeditions were dispatched to survey as many proposed routes. These surveys cost \$1,000,000, but nothing more was done until 1862,

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That the solicitors for stock in the Bankers' Trust were stars at their particular business was shown in court this morning, if it had required proof, by the manner in which a shrewd farmer and financial man of the Saanich peninsula was secured as a shareholder in the corporation three times in succession within as many days.

Some sensational evidence was looked for this afternoon or to-morrow in regard to transactions which have already been touched on in evidence heard by the court.

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HEAD HUNTERS WILL

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United States Consul From Formosa Speaks of Japanese Efforts to Conquer

His health broken by four years' residence in the lowlands of tropical Formosa, Samuel C. Reat, a member of the United States consular service, arrived in Victoria yesterday on the Empress of India and passed on through to Calgary, where for his health's sake the government has transferred him. Other tropical places are not so unhealthy as Formosa, for the white man, stated Mr. Reat, because it is possible to get up into the mountains. The head hunters of Formosa keep the civilized people in the lowland towns, nobody daring to venture back into the mountains which they infest.

The day of the head hunter will soon be over, Mr. Reat thinks. Of the 120,000 savages in Formosa at present but some 8,000 have become subject to the influence of a rude civilization and are good farmers. The 8,000, however, are still ferocious head hunters. There is a camp of very dangerous savages quite close to Tamsui, the capital, probably 12 miles away, he said. The Japanese government, however, in 1910 set aside \$2,500,000 to be devoted to their subjugation and practically all of that sum is to be spent this year. As with the North American Indians, the only method of subduing them is practically to exterminate them. They are fighting for their homes and will never give in, according to Mr. Reat.

The head hunter's motive is a curious one. Mr. Reat stated that they are not actuated by motives of revenge or enmity in their hunts. They are not an especially warlike people, but on the contrary like nothing better than to be left alone. The heads, however, are required by tradition. A young man who wishes to be admitted to the council of the chief men must produce a head. The heads give a man a standing in the community. Thus a head of a white man makes a member of the tribe a real hero. The head of a Jap comes next, a Chinaman next, and the head of a member of another tribe last. The head of a member of another tribe will not get a man a very beautiful bride, Mr. Reat explained.

Most of the victims of the head hunters are Chinese working in the camphor camps. There are also quite a few Japanese, but during Mr. Reat's residence there was not a single white man slain. The great motive behind the Japanese campaign to tame them is the desire for the camphor. Formosa supplies the world with camphor and the lowland trees are becoming insufficient to supply the demand. Consequently the camps are pushing farther and farther up into the highlands and the work is made exceedingly hazardous there by the presence of the savages. Most of the workmen in the camps are Chinese, which is the

reason why they are the most common victims.

"American interest in Formosa is in tea," stated Mr. Reat. "The tea of Formosa is the finest in the world, and America takes 15,000,000 of the 20,000,000 pounds annual output. There are very few white people in Taihoku, the real capital, Tamsui having been abandoned long ago. There are 14 or 15 Americans, a few Germans and 60 or 70 English. An American concrete firm has undertaken the erection of a magnificent capitol building for the Japanese in Taihoku. Concrete is used in the tropics now for a great many buildings because it is practically the only building material which the white ants cannot destroy."

On account of his proximity to the Philippines Mr. Reat is in touch with the situation there and says the Philippines have received little encouragement from the new governor, Mr. Harrison, in their quest for independence. President Wilson's speech has been more than nullified by the chilly attitude of the governor to the proposition, according to Mr. Reat.

A novel but effective method of keeping the savages away from the civilized communities was described by Mr. Reat, who says that the Japanese use it most effectively in keeping the head-hunters in their own part of the island. A wire mesh is strung across the country and is patrolled by soldiers by day and charged with electricity by night. To touch it after dark is instant death. The contour of Formosa is such that the wire can be strung across short distances and serve its purpose most effectually.

MME. ALDA'S PROGRAMME.

Mme. Alda and her supporting artists, Guita Casini and Frank La Forge, form a trio of stars in the musical firmament, all having achieved her aim of giving the Victoria theatre to-morrow evening, every one who delights in the music of voice or instrument will be offered the finest of programmes. It includes two songs to be sung for the first time anywhere, one being "Doch mein Vogel," by Schubert, and the other "Tausend Sterne," by Leo Blech.

In the last suite to be sung by Mme. Alda are two songs written by Mr. La Forge, who is composer as well as pianist. These are charming lyrics, "Like the Rosebud" and "Expectancy," and suit Mme. Alda's voice to perfection. The programme as arranged is as follows:

1. Rococo Variations..... Tschalkowsky
2. (a) Lungi dal Caro Bene..... Cecchi
- (b) Nymphs and Shepherds..... Purcell
- (c) When the Roses Bloom..... Reichardt
3. Pastoral..... Carey
4. Madame Avea..... Chopin
- (a) Etude in A Flat Major..... Chopin
- (b) Two Preludes..... Chopin
5. (a) Pans Angelicus..... Cesar Franck
- (b) Prayer from Tosca..... Puccini
- Madame Alda with "Cello Obligato by G. Casini.
- Intermission.
6. (a) Lie! Traum..... Liszt
- (b) Rhapsodie..... Dohnanyi
7. (a) Doch mein Vogel (1st time). Schubert
- (b) Tausend Sterne (1st time). Leo Blech
- (c) Lauf der Welt..... Grieg
- (d) Wie mir's weh tut..... Rachmaninoff
8. (a) Chant du Menestrel..... Glazounov
- (b) Tarantella..... Pini
- Guita Casini.
9. (a) Green..... Debussy
- (b) A des Oiseaux..... G. Hus
- (c) Like the Rosebud..... La Forge
- (d) Expectancy..... La Forge
- (e) An Open Secret..... Woodman
- Madame Alda.

OFF TO BRAZIL



Ex-President Roosevelt on the steamer leaving New York for Brazil. The colonel let it be understood that he was not out of politics and was still leader of the Progressive party.

ARTS EXHIBITION
DECLARED OPEN TO-DAYBishop of Columbia Expresses
Pleasure at Excellent Display This Year

This afternoon at 2 o'clock the Bishop of Columbia formally opened the exhibition of paintings and crafts which is to be held during the next three days at the Alexandra Club under the auspices of the Island Arts and Crafts Club. His Lordship expressing his surprise and pleasure at the number and quality of works displayed. Judging by the large number of visitors present for the opening ceremony the exhibition is attracting considerably wider notice even than in former years, and it is anticipated that the record for the week will exceed any previous attendance.

The big hall presents the appearance of a well-lit art gallery, and additional scenes have had to be added this year to hang the increased number of pictures, while the crafts display in the centre of the room is conspicuously larger than usual. Several new exhibitors are on the line, some of whose names are already of international fame, and others who are fast coming to occupy a leading place among the artists of Canada.

Water colors are considerably more numerous than oils, the number of the former shown being 176, while only 85 of the latter are hung. With 22 pastels and 9 exhibits of black and white work, together with several architectural designs, there is an interesting range of work to engage the visitor quite apart from the crafts.

It is characteristic of the exhibition that artists are showing more local pictures than usual, and, as naturally, a place noted for the beauty of its mountain views and colorings, particularly in the springtime when the broom is ablaze on the hills, there are numerous paintings portraying various phases of these two subjects, each being dealt with almost as variously and artistically as Nature has provided.

Miss Kito, who appears to be showing fewer pictures than usual, has two or three water colors in which she handles the "golden waves" with familiar skill. No. 89, particularly expressive, shows a boat on a bay, with a study of a familiar local scene. Miss Crease has attained considerable distinction in several sketches of western scenery also, her water colors ranking with the best of these.

Mr. Bamfylde's painting of Durham Cathedral is poetic in feeling and conception alike, and No. 138, showing a street in Croyly, is a delightful work by the same artist, who has made a charming study of the old well-mellowed walls bathed in sunshine. The composition of both works is very fine. A wonderfully strong picture by Miss Mouton (No. 156), showing a street in St. Ives, is, in its way, reminiscent of the above-mentioned study, the artist having achieved her aim of giving the idea of almost tropical sunshine and walls beating back a drizzle of heat, while a similar idea, in a more open atmosphere, is conveyed in 171, a picture of the town of St. Ives, almost blinding in its intense sunlight.

resting peacefully, on the lingering light. Some of the larger craft are shown side by side, with the smaller tugs in the harbor, and the composition of the whole is harmonious and pleasing. No. 195 by the same artist shows a brown landscape, and is eminently artistic.

Miss Topham Brown shows two interesting works, Nos. 121 and 165, the former being a delicately handled study of a denuded cliff whose weathered banks are reflected in the waters at their base. The coloring is soft, and the artist has given an excellent idea of distance in her work.

A number of water colors by S. P. Judge include a view of the famous Taj Mahal, the gilded dome of which is seen through the sombre avenue of trees which lines the marble roadway to its entrance. Distance, and the peculiar intensity of the Indian atmosphere, are cleverly expressed by the artist, the same characteristic appearing in the artist's study of an "Indian Bazaar." In this he has given the necessary color and motion to a scene which primarily impresses by its high white walls and steel-blue skies.

Two small water colors by Mr. Blakie are conspicuous for their fine composition and excellent balance of coloring, these being No. 117, "The Arbutus Tree," and No. 177, "The Queen City," the former showing a rarely painted subject in a very charming setting; the latter an old water-shed with strongly outlined vessels anchored nearby. Reflection, shadow and color are handled with a fine sense of their relative values. K. P. Kent has a quite charming glimpse (No. 189) of South Salt Spring Island, which is deserving of more than passing notice, and Mrs. Wallack on the same screen (No. 182) exhibits a clever composition showing a typical island meadow surrounded by a typical island in which the idea of distance of the background is particularly well-handled.

One of the most charming of the rural scenes shown on the line is one by Miss Margaret Goddard of a hayfield with a sturdy farm horse between the shafts of the hay cart and a man, whose figure is pleasingly suggestive of clumsy strength, toasting hay. Imagination coupled with realism is strongly shown in the whole work, while the whole composition, both as to color and drawing, is highly attractive. Another scene which will recall familiar things to visitors from the Old Land is of four boys running along the tow-path of the Thames. This, by Miss Mason, is entitled "The Rat Catchers," and the figures are full of motion in their almost allouette outlines.

Among the few Indian subjects shown is a rather more than usually interesting study of an Indian village, and its ranks of tottem poles by J. Kyle, who has with marked success used quiet colors to achieve his ends.

The oils include a number of beautifully finished works by Miss Kate Smith, whose animal paintings will be reviewed in a following edition; Mrs. Mary Ritter Hamilton, who shows several interesting portraits and a number of scenes from Victoria gardens; the late Mr. Parker, two of whose exquisite canvases adorn the walls; Mr. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Daniels, Miss Carr and many others, to whose works space will be given at a future date.

The crafts include some excellent examples of bookbinding by Miss Lang, needlework, miniatures, metal work, jewelry, leather work, designs and architectural drawings. Of hand-painted china there is a fair showing, and, although their number is small, the wood-carvings are evidence of the revived interest which is being taken in this interesting branch of art.

The exhibition will be open Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and in the evenings a musical programme will be given under direction of Mr. Pocock.

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WILL HAVE BASKETS.

City Stores Will Receive Donations

For Linen Shower to be Held To-morrow at Jubilee Hospital.

In connection with the Thanksgiving Linen Shower to be held to-morrow afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock at the nurses' home, Jubilee hospital, the firms of David Spencer, Weller Brothers, and Gordons, Ltd., have kindly consented to place baskets in a convenient position in their respective stores where friends who are unable to attend the proceedings at the hospital will be enabled to deposit their gifts of linen.

The "shower" is being held under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the Jubilee hospital, and the executive committee will form a reception committee for the afternoon. Everyone who is able to attend is expected to do so, and those interested in the plans of the new hospital will have an opportunity of viewing these during the afternoon. Tea and refreshments will be served. Donations of linen of all sorts will be gratefully received by the committee, anything from sheets and pillow-cases to serviettes being welcome, and it is hoped that an ample supply will be sent in during the day.

"QUO VADIS" COMING.

The amazing possibilities of the camera are revealed in George Klein's spectacular photo-drama "Quo Vadis," which has proven the sensation of the year in New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Chicago and a dozen other important amusement centres. A complete romantic story is told in eight reels of film that abounds in thrills and dramatic situations. The New York Sun said: "Finer pictures were never seen here." George Klein's "Quo Vadis" will be the attraction at the Victoria theatre on October 23 for three days. The seat sale will start Tuesday, October 21.

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TWO FEET LOWER NOW

Records Show Beaver Lake is 24 Inches Lower Than at Corresponding Period of 1912.

The water at Beaver lake is now two feet lower than it was at the corresponding time last year according to a report filed with Assistant Engineer Foreman, the register showing 118 inches below high water mark on October, 1912, as against 143 inches today.

It is nine inches below the lowest mark last year, and this in spite of the fact that there has practically been no water taken from the lake since the first day of June.

The inference being drawn by students of the situation from these facts is that the best course to be adopted would be to extend the pipe line into Elk lake next spring, and so make the source of supply of real use to the city, after the thousands of dollars of investment in the last forty years on this waterworks, even if the estimated cost of some \$20,000 is exceeded.

By putting the plant into commission once again, the city could be supplied with two million gallons a day without any difficulty, and so supplement the present purchase of water.

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